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WOULD STAY HERE

HOG BREEDERS OPPOSE MOVE OF HEADQUARTERS.

110 ATTEND BANQUET

Members Standard Poland-China Record Association of Four States Present—"Don't Leave Parent,"

If the offices of the Standard Poland-China Record association are moved from Maryville to Kansas City as the result of a vote on such a resolution this afternoon by the shareholders, it will not be by the vote of those members who attended the annual association banquet at the Elks club last night. Not if appearances indicate anything, at least.

For not among the whole 110 who feasted, witnessed cabaret "stunts" and heard music and speaking last night could be found one who apparently favored the proposition to "leave home," as George Robb Ellison so aptly expressed the proposed change. So if the vote this afternoon takes one of Maryville's chief factors away, it will be by the proxy votes and not by the ballot of those who partake of this town's hospitality.

Best Meeting Ever.

Maryville has always royally entertained the association members, it is well known, but never before this time did these visiting hog breeders seem to realize the debt they owed to Maryville, the "parent," for the success, growth and expansion of the Standard association. And perhaps never before have so many attended. In fact, it is known that double the usual number of visiting members are in attendance today.

The resolution to change headquarters caused the increased interest, and virtually all who are here expect to fight the move to change locations.

The banquet began last night with a four-course luncheon. It was interspersed with music by Maulding's six-piece orchestra, and songs and dances by Miss Gladys Keyser of Brookfield and Miss Besse Scott and Frank Schumacher and Jesse Miller, Jr., of Maryville. They did well, if the volume of applause is any indication.

Reviews History of Standard.

Following the banquet, Fred Hull, president of the Commercial club, acted as toastmaster. He first introduced W. J. Hather of Ord, Neb., and B. F. Gilmore of Hopkins, vice president of the association.

Ira K. Alderman, the "father" of the organization, and prime mover in its formation in 1886, was the first speaker. He reviewed the history of the Standard Poland-China Record association, told of the fight made against it by other similar organizations, of its advantages over others and of the association's solvency at all times. His remarks brought forth many cheers.

J. H. Harvey of Maryville, president of the association, next was presented. "I can talk to hogs better than I can to men," said President Harvey in introduction. "But I want to say that everything is going along smoothly and splendidly relative to the Standard association, and that we have a right to be proud of the growth and expansion the association is making."

Sees Expansion Ahead.

C. H. Walker, editor of the Poland-China Journal, of Kansas City, next spoke. He dwelt upon the evident chances for the Standard association to continue to grow, in view of the fact that the hog raising industry is all the time advancing and enlarging in the west and southwest.

George Robb Ellison next spoke on behalf of the city of Maryville. Mr. Ellison expressed to the visiting guests the appreciation which Maryville and Nodaway county holds for the Standard association. "After it has seen the organization born and nurtured to one which is represented in two dozen states and has a membership of 1,138 surely you gentlemen would not make any attempt to leave us," said Mr. Ellison.

"We people here in Maryville feel, in a way, just as a mother feels toward a child. After you have grown up and become of age some would remove the association bodily from its parents and nurturers, and take it to a new clime

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SOUL'S NEED IS GREATER

Baptist Audience Hears Appeal for Spiritual Growth in Evangelistic Service.

Although the audience was small on account of the unpleasant weather, the lyceum course entertainment and other attractions in the city, the special meeting at the Baptist church last night apparently greatly interested the crowd. The sermon was delivered by the Rev. L. M. Hale, pastor.

Arch A. Carter, special singer and choir director, also gave a solo, "A Little Bit of Love," in addition to special music by the chorus of forty voices.

Mr. Hale took as his text, "Only take heed to thyself, and keep thy soul diligently, lest thou forget the things which thine eyes have seen, and lest they depart from thy heart all the days of thy life."

Mr. Hale said in part:

"My purpose in trying to bring this message, is from the standpoint of serving. Let us try to look through the eyes of Moses and see if we can discover a part from the great heart of the servant of God when he speaks them. I believe it is a heart message and not a head message. Moses is about to leave them.

"Moses has gone through their hardships with them and has had his heart crushed a hundred times in trying to lead them out of Egypt into the promised land. He is speaking from a standpoint of experience. He knows that there is tendency for Israel to forget their deeper needs. He knows they have forgotten them. They are crying for something to eat and wear. For material needs rather than spiritual needs.

"He exhorts them to 'Take heed to keep their souls diligently,' to look after their great spiritual needs and exhorts them not only for their own sakes but for their children's sakes.

"I believe if Moses were speaking today to the church and people outside the church that he would use the same exhortation. Look after your spiritual needs. Don't become so absorbed in the getting of material things that you forget that there is a better self; that there is an eternal need. No man can do his children a greater injustice than to forget that the spiritual needs are greater than the material needs.

"God did not let Israel suffer—He fed them, provided clothing and food for them, yet there is a tendency on their part to neglect the deeper things, to forget God. Israel had not forgotten God, but had drifted away. Their forgetfulness led them into sin. Folks have not ceased to forget yet. God manifested Himself in so many ways to Israel, and Israel drifted away. He sent calamity after calamity and brought them back and they forgot.

"As these times of reminding men and women come over and over they become hardened to them. A man becomes hardened to God's call, to His chastening until there is no power that will influence him toward God. 'If ye hear His voice, harden not your heart.' Our soul's need is the greater need. The inner man needs more attention than the outer man."

ST. JOSEPH AFTER STANDARD.

Commerce Club Committee Would Like Headquarters of Poland-China Association.

W. E. Spratt, president of the Commerce club of St. Joseph, accompanied by H. E. Moores, L. D. VanVleit and George W. Calvert of that city, came to Maryville today to attend the meeting of the Standard Poland-China Record association this afternoon. The object of their visit is to get the association to locate in St. Joseph if it should decide to move away from Maryville.

Mr. Spratt said: "We are not fighting Maryville, but if the association should decide to move away, we want them to locate in St. Joseph."

Begin Feature Pictures.

Mary Pickford in "Behind the Scenes" was shown in a six-reel feature film at the Fern theater last night as a starter to the three-a-week feature pictures which James Ells has arranged for. The next feature film will be shown tomorrow night in the form of "The County Chairman," in which Maclyn Arbuckle, a Paramount star, takes the leading part. It is considered one of the Paramount's best features and is a recent release.

Paramount Pictures **Maclyn Arbuckle** **The County Chairman**

Thursday, January 7—First show starting at 7:15 sharp—second show starting at 8:35. 5 minutes intermission between shows. You can see a whole show if you arrive as late as nine o'clock. This schedule will be followed to the minute on all 5 reel features.

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STANDARD STAYS

POLAND-CHINA ASSOCIATION TO REMAIN IN MARYVILLE.

538 AGAINST CHANGE

W. O. Garrett and F. P. Robinson of This City Elected Members of the Board of Directors.

The headquarters of the Standard Poland-China Record association is to remain in Maryville.

By a vote of 538 against the resolution to establish a branch office in Kansas City to 52 votes for, Maryville easily and overwhelmingly succeeded in keeping the organization, which was formed here twenty-nine years ago. There were 54 uninstructed proxy votes, reported by W. C. Pierce, chairman of the credentials committee.

The long expected fight on the resolution to change did not materialize. Instead, so overwhelming was the vote to keep the offices here that those who really were for removal backed down and let the loyal ones have full sway.

The vote came at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon, after the stockholders had assembled in the circuit court room of the court house.

L. R. McClarnon of Braddyville, Ia., vice president of the association for Iowa, who was delegated as president pro tem. in the absence of J. F. Cox of Keithsburg, Ill., president, delegated F. P. Robinson of this city to take the chair and preside during the vote.

W. C. Pierce, chairman of the newly appointed committee on credentials, then made the report. It showed there were 538 nay votes, 52 yea votes and 54 uninstructed votes on the resolution to establish a branch office of the association in Kansas City.

The resolution was read by W. O. Garrett of this city. He is chairman of the executive committee. He moved the non-adoption of the resolution.

H. L. Faulkner of Jamesport, one of the original friends of the removal resolution, then moved that the rules be suspended and that the entire vote be cast against the removal resolution. This move of Faulkner, one of the strong friends for removal, assured the victory for Maryville. He is a member of the board of directors.

Alvin Windon of Nodaway, Ia., was elected president of the association for the ensuing year. E. E. Carver of Guilford was selected as a vice president of the association from Missouri.

An entire new board of directors was chosen. They are: W. O. Garrett and Fred P. Robinson of this city, S. S. Spangler of Milan, J. C. Meese of Ord, Neb.; T. J. Dowe of Troy, Kan.; L. R. McClarnon of Braddyville, Ia., and Thomas A. Shattuck of Hastings, Neb.

The financial report of the association for the past year shows that the total assets were about $22,000, and that the increase in assets were $2,500 over 1913.

The board of directors will meet late this afternoon, after the meeting, to elect a president of the board, a treasurer and a secretary. It is said that the present secretary, George F. Woodworth, will not be an applicant for the position, and rumor has it that Ray Davis of Nebraska will be his successor.

CARRIED WEAPON, CHARGED.

Will Try Fred C. James, Elmo, in Circuit Court on Two Counts.

Fred C. James, who lives near Elmo, was arrested this morning by Sheriff Edwin Wallace on a charge of having carried and exhibited a dangerous weapon. He was brought here this morning and arraigned before Justice Warren L. Johnson on both counts. He waived a preliminary hearing and was bound over for trial in the circuit court, which convenes here January 18.

His appearance bond of $500 was furnished by Marion W. Bowman, a neighbor.

ODD FELLOWS CELEBRATE.

Local Lodge Banquets After Two Months' Membership Campaign —Install Later.

A banquet was held by White Cloud lodge, No. 92, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, last night in celebration of the success of the two months' membership campaign, which closed last month. Degree work preceded the banquet. About sixty attended.

The installation of new members will not be held until next Tuesday night or two weeks from last night, depending on how soon the auditing committee can finish its work. It made its report last night, but though the figures tallied, a checking of the whole will be made before a final report is accepted.

12 DIE IN SUBWAY

NEW YORK FIRE RAGES DURING RUSH IN TUNNEL.

SMOKE OVERCOMES 300

Early Morning Passengers Plunged Into Underground Flames—Fifty Unconscious Ones Recovered.

New York, Jan. 6.—Twelve persons were killed in a fire which raged in a subway at Broadway, near Fifty-fifth street, at the height of the rush hour this morning. More than fifty other passengers were taken from the subway trains in an unconscious condition.

More than 300 persons were overcome by the smoke, and only were saved from suffocation by the prompt rescue of the fire department and volunteer helpers.

Little damage was done in the subway. The cause of the fire has not been definitely determined.

TWO ARE CONVERTED.

South Methodist Revival Draws Crowd Despite Weather.

Two conversions resulted last night at the evangelistic services that are in progress at the Buchanan Street Methodist church. Despite the stormy weather and other meetings that were held last night, more interest was shown than at any of the previous meetings of the series.

TRAVELING SALESMAN DIES.

A. A. Givens of Kansas City Dies Monday—Was Well Known Here.

Allen A. Givens of Kansas City, one of the best known traveling salesmen who visit Maryville, died Monday at his home in Kansas City. The body was taken to Carrollton for burial and the services held there today.

Mr. Givens represented the Calhoun-Robbins firm of New York City and has been coming to Maryville on stated trips for the past eight years. Mr. Givens had been ill for eleven weeks past with typhoid fever.

AUSTRALIAN WANTS FOWLS.

Judge W. H. Crawford Gets Inquiry from Melbourne—Win Poultry Prizes.

The fame of the Nodaway county fowl extends around the globe.

At least, it would appear so from a letter of inquiry received by Judge W. H. Crawford this week from a poultry fancier in Melbourne, Australia. Judge Crawford raises some mighty fine Buff Wyandottes, just as does his law partner, Judge J. H. Sayler.

So Judge Crawford placed a small advertisement of the fact recently in The Poultry Success, published at Springfield, O. That is how the Melbourne fancier learned of the famous fowls of Nodaway. The Oceanica gentleman wants the fowls, but bemoans the fact that the shipping charges are so high.

Judge Crawford and son and Otho Robey of this city also feel quite well satisfied with the showing their birds made last week at the annual show of the Northwest Missouri Poultry Fanciers' association, which was held in Chillicothe.

Mr. Robey's winnings were: First cock, first and second hen, first and second pullet, first pen. On the coop was marked eight premiums, and he expects to hear from the two specials soon.

Crawford & Son won first cockerel, first hen and first pullet.

Schumann Quintet Good.

The Schumann Quintet, the fifth number of the lyceum course, entertained a large audience last night at the First Christian church. Carl Lampert directed. John Kendrick Bangs, the noted author, humorist and editor, appears next, the date being February 3.

Leaves for Des Moines.

G. R. Cornelius of Des Moines, Ia., who, with Mrs. Cornelius, has been spending a two weeks vacation in Maryville with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Murrin, left for his home this morning. Mrs. Cornelius will remain a couple of weeks longer.

Will Bury Baby Tomorrow.

Funeral services for Chester, the 18-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry N. Moore, who died yesterday afternoon, will be held at 1 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the home, northwest of the city.

TO HOLD FUNERAL TOMORROW.

Services for Miss Kildow Will Be Held at Miller Residence.

The funeral services for Miss Emma Kildow, who died Saturday morning at Prescott, Ariz., will be held at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, at the residence of Mrs. Catherine Miller, 548 West Third street. The service will be conducted by the Rev. S. D. Harkness, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, assisted by the Rev. G. S. Cox, pastor of the First Methodist church. The interment will be at Miriam cemetery.

The body will lie in state at the Miller residence from 10 till 1 o'clock tomorrow.

Among the out-of-town people in the city to attend the funeral are Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Irwin of Los Angeles, Cal.; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Miller of Collinsville, Okla., and Arthur Miller of Kansas City. The body of Miss Kildow, accompanied by Mrs. Catherine Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Irwin, arrived in Maryville at noon.

444 LICENSED TO HUNT.

Nodaway County Sportsmen Contribute Much to State—Expire January 1.

Former County Clerk George W. Demott issued 444 county hunter's licenses during 1914, which amounted to a contribution of $444 the sportsmen of the county made to the state. No state licenses were issued, although Demott had ten of them on hand and a supply of 500 county certificates. All licenses to hunt expire January 1 each year, so that even if a person would have secured a license December 31 he would have to get another the next day.

County licenses cost $1 while state licenses cost $5. Several licenses for 1915 have already been issued by the new county clerk, Fred J. Yeomans.

VISITS COUNTY FARM.

County Court Reports Infirmary Conditions Are Good—May Adjourn Today.

The new county court visited the county farm yesterday afternoon. On his return, Presiding Judge W. M. Blackford said the court found conditions there good and that the inmates appeared to be satisfied.

Little business of importance is coming up at the initial meeting of the court. A few bills have been allowed, a license renewed for the operation of pool tables by Granville Herndon, and some plans made for further bridge work.

The court may adjourn late this afternoon.

COLD SNAP FOLLOWS THAW.

Rain and Moderation Gives Way to Freeze Today—See Strange Rainbow.

The thaw brought about yesterday by the combined means of a rise in temperature, "soft" winds and a drizzling rain, gave way early this morning to a decline of temperature, which went to the freezing point. It made the walks and streets again slippery and pedestrians walked again this morning with care, as they have had to do for several weeks.

The highest temperature yesterday was 42 degrees, but the rain and "soft" breezes made the snow and ice melt as rapidly as though the temperature was at least at the 60 mark.

The lowest temperature recorded by J. R. Brink, official observer, for the twenty-four hours preceding 7 o'clock this morning was 28 degrees. That was early this morning.

One of the strange features of the weather was observed in the western sky, near the horizon, about 8 o'clock yesterday morning. It was a clear and distinct rainbow. It is seldom that one is observed that early in the day at any time of year, particularly so in the winter, when a rainbow is infrequent at any hour.

Kansas Visitors Leave.

Mr. and Mrs. Oren Silvers of Meade, Kan., who have been visiting relatives at Barnard, left for their home Monday afternoon. En route they will stop for a visit at Rosendale and Savannah.

Leaves For California.

Mrs. Henry Amos Reed of Los Angeles, Cal., who had been spending the month past visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Clark at the Linville hotel, left Monday afternoon for her home.

Leave for Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Hopper have gone to Jacksonville, Fla., where they will spend the remainder of the winter months.

Daniel McGrew of Graham was in the city yesterday on business.

ANNIHILATE TURKS

RUSSIANS WIN BIGGEST VICTORY OF WAR.

TRAP OTTOMAN TROOPS

Several Corps of Teutons' Ally, Unable to Extricate Selves, Are Mowed Down—Is Big Loss.

Petrograd, Jan. 6.—The biggest victory for the Russians since the war began apparently has just been gained at the expense of the Turkish troops, according to reports being received here from the southern army. From these dispatches it indicates that three or more corps of the Turkish army have been surrounded and practically annihilated.

Two of these troops, which were near Sari Kamysh, Transcaucasia, were defeated utterly. One of them surrendered, while the remnants of the other were pursued and captured.

The latest report says that the Ninth Turkish corps was completely annihilated by the Russian pursuers.

REVIEWS STANDARD'S LIFE

I. K. Alderman, "Father," Tells Poland-China Breeders History of the Association.

In the initial address at the banquet of the Standard Poland-China association at the Elks club last night, Judge Ira K. Alderman, known as the "father" of the organization, reviewed the history of the association in part as follows:

"Back of the Standard existed an association known as the Northwest Missouri Poland-China Breeders' association, organized February 23, 1884, pursuant to a call issued by W. P. Hayzlett, of Bolckow. At this meeting, W. P. Hayzlett was elected president; D. D. Bollinger, of Hopkins, vice-president, and Geo. L. Drennan, of Maryville secretary and ex-officio treasurer. Articles of association were adopted and the object of the association was declared to be "for mutual benefit in the breeding and rearing of Poland-China swine." The meetings of this association were to be semi-annual.

"There were twelve members present at this organization, as follows: W. P. Hayzlett, Bolckow; E. E. Carver, Guilford; I. V. LaTourette, Skidmore; D. D. Bollinger, Hopkins; B. F. Gilmore, Gaynor City; and S. Cummings, Dr. John W. Dean, Frank Bellows, Wm. T. Garrett, Ira K. Alderman, Lyman Parcher and Geo. L. Drennan of Maryville, most of whom are still members in the Standard Poland-China Record Association. Meetings continued semi-annually until October 6, 1886, when the Standard was formally organized.

"December 2, 1884, I was chosen secretary of the old association and continued in that office during its existence.

"On December 10, 1885, I suggested the idea of organizing a new Poland-China Record for the reason that western breeders were constantly annoyed with the burden of buying three or four sets of records in order to trace the pedigrees of their herds intelligently.

The Standard Poland-China Association was formally organized October 6, 1886. The name was suggested by Mr. Hayzlett.

New men began to appear. The states of Missouri, Kansas Nebraska, Iowa and Indiana were represented by sixty-five shareholders as early as September 21, 1886, clearly proving that Poland-China breeders were determined to have it. D. F. Risk, of Weston, was chosen temporary chairman, and I temporary secretary.

"The first set of officers elected was as follows: D. F. Risk, Weston, president; J. W. Dean, Maryville, vice-president; W. H. Morris, Indianapolis, Ind., vice-president; W. A. Edson, Lancaster Kan., vice-president; H. E. Heath, Republican City, Neb., vice-president; Ira K. Alderman, Maryville, secretary; W. T. Garrett, Maryville, treasurer.

"The association was incorporated August 8, 1887. It now has a membership of 1,138 located in about two dozen states of the central west and west. The membership increased by fifty-four the last year. The capital stock is now $30,000 and is divided into 3,000 shares."

THE WEATHER

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SEES BIG FUTURE AHEAD

Poland-China Expert Urges Standard Breeders to Try West and South Fields.

The Standard Poland-China Record association has a bright future before it, in the opinion of C. H. Walker, editor of the Poland-China Journal of Kansas City. In address before the Standard banqueters at the Elks club last night, Mr. Walker explained why this was possible. He pointed to the south, southwest, west and northwest as the field to yet be conquered.

"There never has been a time in the history of the breed when so many and so inviting fields were open to the Poland-China breeders," began Mr. Walker. "Having completed the conquest of the corn belt, the Polands will now, if they live up to the full measure of their opportunities, proceed to the conquest of other sections of the country where the interest in hog growing has increased with amazing rapidity during the past few years.

"During the past the task of supplying the country with pork products has been delegated to the farmers of the corn belt. The south was too busy with its cotton and the west and southwest with their cattle to bother with the humble porker. Salt pork from the northern packing houses formed an essential part of the diet of the laborers in the cotton fields, and ham and bacon from the same source was the mainstay of the cowboy in the cattle country. No section of the country outside the corn belt has in the past produced pork to supply the home demand.

"This condition of affairs has occupied the attention of the farm economists in these various sections in recent years, and they have at last succeeded in arousing a genuine interest in hog growing. As a result of this interest there will be a rapid increase in the number of hogs grown in these sections during the next few years, and a consequent increase in the demand for breeding stock.

"If the Poland-China breeders do not profit from this increased demand it will not be because of any lack of merit in the breed, but because of a lack of enterprise on the part of the Poland-China breeders. If the members of the Standard Poland-China Record association do not profit more than other breeders from this condition it will be because they fail to take advantage of the opportunities open to them, for they are situated adjacent to these very sections in which interest in hog growing is now at white heat—the south, the southwest, the west and the northwest.

"The functions of a record association such as the Standard Poland-China Record association are not confined to keeping an accurate record of the pedigrees of the animals bred by its members. Not the least important work that properly belongs to such an association is the spying out of new fields for the expansion of the breed, and the devising of ways and means for gaining for its members the fullest advantage that such new fields offer as a market for breeding stock.

"I believe that your association should have a trade expansion department, similar to that maintained by the commercial bodies of our cities, the business of which should be to seek out these new fields, study their needs, and devise ways and means of supplying these needs.

"If we expect the new hog breeders to adopt the Poland-China we must convince them that the Poland-China is the hog for them to grow. In order to do this we must tell them about the Poland-China, and give them reasons why they should grow it in preference to other breeds. To do this we must provide them with Poland-China literature. We must give them practical demonstration of the superiority of the Poland-Chinas by exhibiting the best animals.

"There is no question but that a big and profitable trade can be worked up by the members of this association with the south and west if systematic effort is put forth to cultivate the acquaintance of the farmers and breeders there."

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Gal. can Blackberries	50c
Gal. can Black Raspberries	60c
Gal. can Frontier Peaches	45c
Gal. can Frontier Apricots	45c
1 pound Creamy After dinner Mints	15c
1 pound California English Walnuts	25c
Fancy Ben Davis Apples peck	35c
2 large Grape Fruit	15c
2 quarts Cranberries	15c
Solid head Cabbage, per pound	2c
3 pounds fancy Dry Peaches	25c
2 lbs. fancy Dry Apricots	35c
2 lbs bleached Sultana Raisins	35c
1 lb. Cluster Raisins	20c
1 lb. fancy Peeled Dry Peaches	25c
Quart Log Cabin Syrup	35c
½ Gallon can Log Cabin Syrup	65c
Gallon can Log Cabin Syrup	$1.25
4½ lbs. fancy Jap Rice	25c
4 10c-rolls Toilet paper	25c
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4 cans Eagle Powdered Lye	25c
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Real Estate Transfers.

The following warranty deeds were filed in the office of the recorder of deeds for the week ending January 2:

Gottlied Mader to Lowell B. Campbell, dated Dec. 29, 1914, covering E 2-3 lots 9 and 10, block 23, Barnard, for $500.

John C. Goforth to Sarah L. Hager, dated Dec. 19, 1914, covering lot 6 and W ½ lot 5, block 13, Barnard, for $800.

Mitt Wilson to George C. Weatherman, dated March 1, 1914, covering part W ½ SW SE sec 16, twp 62, rng 34, for $2,000.

George C. Weatherman to Mitt Wilson, dated March 1, 1914, covering SW NW sec 27 and SE NE sec 28, twp 62, rng 34, for $7,000.

Jacob N. Burch to Everett L. Whitney, dated Nov. 25, 1914, covering lot 8, block 57, Hopkins, for $1,600.

George O. Wallace to Robert F. Wallace, dated Dec. 30, 1914, covering lot 6, block 49, City company's addition to Maryville, for $1,300.

George B. Baker et al. to Lawrence Kempf et al., dated Dec. 29, 1914, covering NW SE and E ½ NE SE and part W ½ NE SE and N ¼ SE SE and part SE SE sec 27, twp 64, rng 35, for $9,200.

John Sturm et al. to Pearl M. Taylor, dated Nov. 21, 1914, covering lot 3, block 21, Thompson's sub-division southern extension to Maryville, for $1,100.

Warren Hull to George P. Hull, dated Dec. 21, 1914, covering N ½ NW sec 9, twp 66, rng 37, for $10,400.

Thomas F. Dewitt to Fay Whitney and wife, dated Sept. 22, 1914, covering part SE NE sec 11, twp 66, rng 35, for $2,800.

Edward Myers to William W. Andrews, dated May 12, 1914, covering lot 2, NW sec 31, twp 64, rng 35, for $13,032.

B. M. Frees et al. to George Ulmer, Jr., dated Dec. 14, 1914, covering lots 1, 2, 3, and 4, block 4, Jackson and Sherry's addition to Hopkins, for $3,000.

Alfred Gray to Ed M. Shreve, dated Oct. 14, 1914, covering part S ½ NW NE sec 8, twp 62, rng 35, for $480.

Emmett O. Gray to Ed M. Shreve, dated Sept. 29, 1914, covering N ½ NW NE sec 8, and S ½ SW SE sec 5, twp 65, rng 35, for $4,075.

William W. Andrews to Edward Myers, dated May 12, 1914, covering E ½ SW and SW SE sec 25, twp 64, rang 36, for $22,500.

Charles A. Deneen to Fred C. Wyman, dated March 30, 1914, covering east 107.34 acres NW sec 7, twp 64, rang 36, for $11,000.

Albert R. Swann to Charles A. Deneen, dated Dec. 18, 1914, covering North 115 acres SE sec 27, twp 64, rng 36, for $14,950.

Ed M. Shreve to Charles Hornbuckle, dated Dec. 30, 1914, covering S ½ NE sec 13, twp 65, rng 36, for $8,900.

George W. Craig to George B. Baker, dated Jan. 1, 1914, covering lots 5, 6, 7 and 8, block 13, Charles' first addition to Maryville, for $1,200.

Minnie M. Roach to Georgia A. Tulloch, dated Dec. 30, 1914, covering ½ interest in N ½ lot 3, block 25, Barnard, for $5.

Marco T. Loucks to Charles E. Owens, dated Dec. 30, 1914, covering lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, block 6, Skidmore, except W 40 feet, for $5,000.

Charles E. Owens to Marco T. Loucks, dated Dec. 1, 1914, covering lots 1, 3, 5 and 7, W. J. Skidmore's subdivision sec 9, twp 63, rng 37, for $17,000.

Home from Week's Trip.

Harvey L. Haines returned at noon today from a week's business and pleasure trip to Chicago, Kansas City and Sabetha and Eldorado, Kan.

Leaves for Fulton.

Miss Eva Ashford left Monday evening for Fulton, summoned there by the illness of her sister, Mrs. Richard Hamlin.

C. J. Mossey of Clyde, collector for Jefferson township, was in Maryville yesterday.

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CHICHESTER S PILLS
THE DIAMOND BRAND.
Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chichester's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist. Ask for CHI-CHES-TER S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 35 years known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable
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THE ELK'S MINSTREL
JANUARY 12 IS COMING Watch For It JANUARY 12

WOULD STAY HERE

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where the sympathies are not with you.

Move Would Hurt Association.

"The headquarters are now located in an agricultural belt—one of the richest in the country—and right in the midst of the association members and where everyone is boosting for it. Take it to a city and the association will be swallowed up and forgotten, except by the members. It will be out of tune with its surroundings."

Others who spoke briefly were the Rev. Gilbert S. Cox, Maryville; Sam McKelvie, Fairfield, Neb., a member of the directorate; H. L. Faulkner, Jamesport, a member of the directorate; W. P. Hayzlett, Maitland, a member of the first directorate of the association; W. O. Garrett, Maryville, of the executive committee, and John O'Connell, Malcolm, Neb.

A vote was taken during the speaking, which showed that of the 100 at banquet only eleven were charter members of the association.

A vote of thanks to Maryville for its hospitality, and a separate vote of appreciation from Nebraska visitors were paid after the banquet.

These Attended Banquet.

Those who attended the banquet last night were:

Thomas J. Meisner, Sabetha, Kan.; W. J. Hather, Ord, Neb.; Thomas A. Shattuck, Hastings, Neb.; J. C. Meese, Ord, Neb.; S. A. Nelson, Malcom, Neb.; T. J. Dawe, Troy, Neb.; Ed R. Dorsey, Cameron; S. S. Spangler, Milan; J. D. Gates, Ravenwood, H. A. Crawford, Rea; J. O. James, Braddyville, Ia.; F. H. Schooler, Rock Port; N. I. Stapler, Burlington Junction; T. W. Cavett, Phillip, Neb.; John O'Connell, Malcom, Neb.; W. L. Wright, Jr., Rosendale; R. I. Young, St. Joseph; B. Bollig, Danbury; W. Bollig, Danbury; P. Hargesty, Council Bluffs, Ia.; W. P. Hayzlett, Maitland; S. McKelvie, Fairfield, Neb.; W. A. Forsyth, Greenwood; J. R. Miller, Collinsville, Okla.; C. H. Beethe, Elk Creek, Neb.; John G. Hays, Skidmore; C. C. Curtis, DeKalb; Alvin Windom, Nodaway, Ia.; W. R. Rice, Conway, Ia.; D. C. Lonergan, Florence, Neb.; H. J. Beall, Roca, Neb.; R. J. Peckham, Pawnee City, Neb.; Ray Davis, Lincoln, Neb.; J. O. Wallace, St. Joseph; M. Ellis, Guilford; W. H. Penniston, Braymer; L. R. McClarnon, Braddyville, Ia.; B. B. Staples, Burlington Junction; U. S. Byrne, Saxton Station; B. F. Gilmore, Hopkins; P. C. Miller, Conway, Ia.; O. McKelvie, Clay Center, Neb.; H. L. Faulkner, Jamesport; W. H. Charters, Butler; C. H. Walker, editor Poland-China Journal, Kansas City; E. E. Carver, Guilford; Dick Bailey, Elmo; W. B. Gex, Graham.

The following of Maryville attended: John Murrin, D. R. Eversole, Ralph Eversole, R. P. Hosmer, H. F. Leet, F. P. Reuillard, W. F. Phares, G. J. Moore, Guy R. Mutz, M. D. Kemp, Fred Jameson, F. L. Garrett, C. D. Bellows, Albert Berlin, Lawrence Ogden, P. O. Landon, Lou White, George M. Crowson, Fred Vandersloot, Clun W. Price, E. L. Andrews, M. Nusbaum, W. C. Pierce, T. L. Wilderman, C. D. Bellows, Jr., H. C. Todd, E. C. Curfman, E. H. Bainum, W. R. Tilson, F. G. Shoemaker, Berney Harris, U. S. Wright, O. L. Holmes, R. W. Pettit, H. C. McClary, Jos. Jackson, Jr., W. L. DeHart, J. F. Roelofson, C. C. Hellmers, C. A. Wadley, Albert Kuchs, W. R. Jackson, W. W. Jones, Fred J. Yeomans, W. H. Gilbert, J. D. Frank, Dr. L. E. Dean, Ed J. Schumacher, J. P. Price, E. E. Rhoades, A. B. Wells, Harley H. Seamore, Harry H. Wells, O. F. Remus, Charles Buhler, the Rev. G. S. Cox, George Robb Ellison, Ira K. Alderman, J. H. Harvey, F. P. Robinson, J. F. Hull.

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CRAIG, "DRY" SENATE LEADER

Nodaway State Delegate to Direct Prohibition Campaign in Legislature Reported.

Senator Anderson Craig, Nodaway county's delegate to the "upper" branch of the state legislature, will again be the leading factor in the "dry" movements. He will be assisted by Senator E. L. Moore of Barton county, it is expected. It is not definitely known yet who will champion the prohibition cause in the house.

The "drys" claim a large majority this winter in the house and a safe majority in the senate.

The legislature convenes tomorrow. The "drys" will present a program to the legislature that, if passed in prohibition throughout Missouri outside the three large cities—St. Louis, Kansas City and St. Joseph.

A bill is being prepared and will not be introduced which will provide as follows:

"It shall be unlawful to license any saloon or dramshop in any city that does not have sixty thousand inhabitants or a metropolitan police force."

The Rev. E. F. Jones, legislative agent of the Anti-Saloon League, said the "drys" had definitely decided to present several measures. They are:

A district local option bill to enable residence districts in cities to vote out saloons.

A bill carrying the Webb-Kenyon Act, relating to the shipment of liquor into "dry" territory, into effect through out the state.

Requiring saloons to close at 10 o'clock.

Prohibiting saloons within five miles of any school or university.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

Son at McGlothlan Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom McGlothlan, living west of Barnard, announce the birth of their son, to whom they have given the name Thomas Dale.

"I'm Going To Use My Business —Not Put It In Cold Storage"

THIS was the remark of a keen thinking business man, who is on the move regardless of the general business tendency, weather or trade.

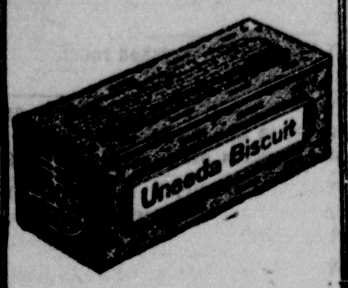
This should be the thought of every merchant or manufacturer who intends to stay in the race. The man who backs out for a time, who waits for a new movement, is the one who is most apt to lose out entirely. The one who increases his energy in developing new trade in slow times is the very one who looms up big when the harvest comes.

It is easier by far to keep in the race than to slow down and let another man pass you. If you do not keep yourself and your concern before the public, who do you think will?

Put your business into cold storage for a time and you have lost efficiency for that time. People do not remember you half so well by your past achievements as by your present deeds. It is up to you to stay in the race not only to retain past patronage, but to be ready to serve the patronage of tomorrow.

Uneeda Biscuit

Nourishment—fine flavor—purity—crispness—wholesomeness. All for 5 cents, in the moisture-proof package.



GRAHAM CRACKERS

A food for every day. Crisp, delicious and strengthening. Fresh baked and fresh delivered. 10 cents.

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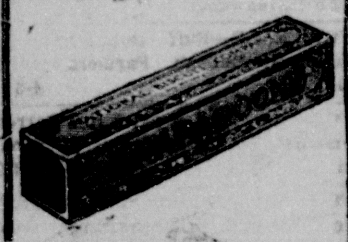
A delightful new biscuit, with a rich and delicious cocoanut flavor. Crisp and always fresh. 10 cents.



Buy biscuit baked by

NATIONAL BISCUIT COMPANY

Always look for that Name

File Albert A. Hackett Will.

The will of Albert A. Hackett, who died at his home at Burlington Junction, December 25, was filed today in probate court. Henry E. Nicholas was appointed administrator.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

CHARLES E. STILWELL.
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW.
Office over Maryville National Bank
Maryville, Mo

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Maybe possessed by people who never suspect it.

Many people suffer constantly from eye strain who have never guessed just what the trouble is.

Everyone should find out if their eyes are normal and this may be done easily and quickly by calling on us.

Besides detecting errors, we correct them with properly fitted lenses.

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a very happy and prosperous New Year

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Cloth of Gold.

When I fold my hands at the close of day,
And examine the fabric I've woven,
I find there a background of heavy dull gray,
The duties and care interwoven.

But here and there through the threads of gray,
I will find a bright color is gleaming;
Because of a roesbud, a kind word or look.
Then all of my fabric is beaming.

So this square of each day I will lay away,
To shield me at least from the cold.
When my weaving's done, may life's setting sun
Show my garment as fabric of gold.

The above song poem was written by Miss Ruby Lorance of this city. The score is by J. E. Andino and the song has been published by the John T. Hall Music company of New York City. The melody is in perfect harmony with the motif of the words. Many copies of the song have been sold since it was placed on sale here. Miss Lorance is the author of numerous poems and sketches.

Missionary Society.

The Women's Missionary society of the First Baptist church will meet at 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon with Mrs. J. M. Ringgold, 617 North Vine street.

All-Day Party.

Mr. and Mrs. George Patrick of this city, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Everhart, Miss Lola Ingram, Ray, Emery, Willie, Beatrice and Leodas Everhart were the guests of an all-day house party given Sunday by Mrs. J. M. Everhart of Barnard.

Anthonys at Home.

Mrs. F. R. Anthony returned yesterday from a stay of several months in Denver, Col., which has been of health benefit to her. Dr. and Mrs. Anthony will now be at home to their friends in the new home on Park avenue.

Gives Kensington Tea.

Mrs. Edward Wolfert of North Main street, entertained with a Kensington tea yesterday afternoon, giving the third of a series of affairs with which she is entertaining during the mid-winter. Twenty eight guests enjoyed the hospitality of Mrs. Wolfert.

Mr. and Mrs. Gex Hosts.

Mr. and Mrs. Florian Gex, living southwest of the city, entertained with a dinner party Sunday, at which their guests were Mr. and Mrs. P. K. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Ellsworth, Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Dilts, Henry and Miss Martha Ellsworth and Paul Dilts.

League to Give Reception.

The Epworth League of the First Methodist church will give a reception Friday evening for the Normal students, who have come to the city for the new year term. The affair will be held in the League rooms.

Home From Honeymoon Trip.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Stewart Farrar returned from a short honeymoon trip spent at Lawrence, Kan., and Kansas City, yesterday. They will be at home after January 26, at 621 North Buchanan street. Mrs. Farrar was formerly Miss Sadie Marie Woods and her marriage to Mr. Farrar took place December 30, last.

Dines Employees.

D. E. Hotchkin, manager of the Graham-Latimer store, and Mrs. Hotchkin, entertained the employes of the store at a six o'clock dinner Monday night at their home on South Buchanan street. Plates were laid for Miss Juno Jones, Miss Emma Ballinger, Miss Marie Grundy, Miss Edna Wilson, Harold Bridgeman, Elmer Allen and the hosts and family.

Coasting Party.

A jolly coasting party was given Monday night by the J. W. G. A. B. club on the Guthrie hill, northwest of the city. Those who enjoyed the fun were Misses Mary and Sarah Taylor, Miss Grace Fisher, Misses Anna and Mary Halasey, Miss Esther Neidel, Verne Manley, Lewis Neidel, Ernest Willhoyte, Omer and Harry Fisher and Glen Guthrie.

To Compliment Kansas Visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Oren Silvers of Meade, Kan., who are visiting relatives at Barnard, were the honored guests of a party given Saturday night by Mrs. J. M. Everhart of Barnard. Mrs. George Patrick of this city assisted Mrs. Everhart in entertaining her guests, who were Mr. and Mrs. Silvers, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Stults and Mr. and Mrs. George Patrick of Maryville, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hall, Miss Cleo Hall, Miss Lura Leiffy, Miss Leola Ingram, Misses Beatrice and Leodas Everhart, Mrs. Al Leiffy,, Orville and Ray Everhart, Mr. Emery, Jesse and William Everhart and Cecil Ray Leiffy.

Ellsworths Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ellsworth, who live southwest of the city entertained a few friends last Friday evening in compliment to their daughter, Miss Martha, who had been spending the holiday vacation at home. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Henry West fall, Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Dilts, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cole, Harry Cole, Paul Dilts and Henry Ellsworth.

Mr. and Mrs. Jensen Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Jensen, living in the Mt. Vernon neighborhood, entertained a party of friends for the day Sunday at their home. Their guests were Misses Edna Garrett, Lora McDowell, Millie Ballenger, Verna Key, Josephine Jensen, Nettie and Violet Jensen, Messrs. Cleo Mitchell, Beryl Mitchell, Perry Wiseman, Sorenus Jensen, Luther Jensen and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mitchell.

Gives Duck Roast.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Dilts, living twelve miles southwest of the city, entertained a party of relatives and friends at a duck roast Saturday noon. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. P. K. Brown, Mrs. Riggle, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Popham, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Ellsworth, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Riggle, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Saxton, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cole, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Westfall, Miss Birdie Popham, Miss Martha Ellsworth, Miss Chloe Riggle, Misses Emyline and Neola Saxton, Nellie and Frank Popham, Fred Rourer, Henry Ellsworth, Earl and Roy Riggle, Paul Dilts and Harry Cole.

Study Fiction Characters.

The female portraits and characters of early American fiction formed the subject of the afternoon's study yesterday for the M. I. Circle in a meeting held at the home of Mrs. Omar Catterson. The afternoon program opened with devotions by Mrs. B. C. Halley. A very interesting paper, in which she took up some of the favorite characters of Longfellow and Hawthorne, was given by Mrs. C. B. Roberts. The round table discussion was conducted by Mrs. J. W. Ray and Mrs. John Lorance acted as critic. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. W. B. Price.

Entertaining Meeting.

One of the most entertaining afternoons of the winter was enjoyed Monday by the Music department of the Twentieth Century club. The meeting was held at the recital hall of the Conservatory. Mrs. T. L. Wilderman, chairman, presided, and after the usual routine of business the program was given in charge of Prof. P. O. Landon. Pursuant with the topic selected for December and January, Mr. Landon gave the romance and history of the opera "Carmen," and spoke in full of the life and works of the composer, Bizet. Mr. Landon then gave on the victrola the most popular selections from "Carmen." They were "I Speak of the Dread that Assails Me," Sung by Bernice Pasquali; the Habanera song, by Lina Cavalieri, and the Toreador song, by Baklanoff. Mrs. W. H. Crawford acted as critic, and the meeting adjourned to meet at the home of Miss Brownie Toel on February 1.

Patterson's Entertain.

One of the pleasant affairs of the New Year's eve was a watch party given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Patterson, northwest of the city. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Chester Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. Ray McDowell, Misses Ray McGinness, Miss Lora McDowell, Edith Callahan, Josephine Jensen, Pearl McGinness, Edna Garrett, Nettie Jensen, Millie Ballinger, Violet Jensen, Hazel McCombs, Maud McCombs and Mabelle Patterson, Messrs. Perry Wiseman, Cleo Mitchell, Willie Garrett, Beryl Mitchell, Orb Griffey, Sorenus Jensen, George Patterson, Harold Thompson, Don Thompson, Floyd Logan, Howard Patterson, Robert Patterson and Frank McComb.

Newly Weds "At Home."

Mr. and Mrs. John Lieber Holmes, whose marriage took place December 31, at Maitland, will be at home after January 15, at 402 West Third street. Mr. and Mrs. Holmes are spending their honeymoon in Chicago and Kansas City. The following account of the wedding, taken from the St. Joseph News-Press, will be of interest:

"At high noon, Thursday Miss Nancy Lee Maxwell and John Lieber Holmes, of Maryville, were married at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. N. A. Maxwell of Maitland, Rev. Bemis of the Christian church, reading the marriage service. Only near relatives were present. The bride wore a wedding gown of white satin with an overdress of embroidered chiffon and carried bride's roses. Before the ceremony, Mrs. Lucian Maxwell, of St. Joseph, sang "When Song is Sweet" and Mrs. John Poynter, a sister of the bride, played the wedding march from Lohengrin. In the dining room a three course luncheon was served. The table was centered with a large wedding cake. In the afternoon Mr. Holmes and his bride left for a two weeks' honeymoon trip to Chicago. The bride's traveling costume was of dark blue velvet with hat and gloves to match."

Japanese Tea.

The general meeting of the Twentieth Century club was held at the home of Mrs. S. G. Gillam yesterday afternoon. The program was in charge of the Tourist department and the art of Japan formed the subject of the afternoon. The guests were met at the door by little Miss Esther Roseberry, gowned in Japanese costume and directed into the gaily decorated house. Reception hall, living room, and library were hung with Japanese lanterns and umbrellas, while the dining room was a bower of cherry blossoms. Cherry blossoms hung from the chandelier and were massed on the sideboards and walls while a crystal basket, filled with the blossoms, centered the table. Under the able leadership of Mrs. Chas. Jackson, an interesting program was given. Mrs. E. R. Utter told of ivory carving and wood carving. Mrs. Arthur Allen Brewer described the porcelains and Miss May Orear took the Cloisonne work, Mrs. Charles Bellows, the lacquer, and Mrs. G. H. Colbert, the embroidery. Two charming Japanese songs were given by Mrs. Charles Moore. At the conclusion of the program, the women were invited to the dining room where tea was served by Mrs. Bruce Montgomery, Mrs. W. R. Jackson, Mrs. Rolla Alexander and Mrs. R. W. Pettit, all of whom were dressed in Japanese costumes. Perhaps the most interesting feature was the art exhibit displayed in the library. Many beautiful works of Japanese art and interesting curios had been collected by Mrs. Charles Jackson and Mrs. Ed. G. Orear for this display.

Brazil Fires Port Officials.

Rio Janeiro, Jan. 6.—The German steamer Holger having secretly left the harbor of Pernambuco, presumably with supplies for the German warships still at large in South American waters, the federal government has removed from office the authorities who should have guarded against such a breach of neutrality. The responsible officials also have been ordered before a board of inquiry.

Lajoie Is Bought by Connie Mack.

Cleveland, Jan. 6.—Napoleon Lajoie, for thirteen years second baseman and former manager of the Cleveland American league club, was released by President Somers to the Philadelphia Americans.

Mrs. Crane Ill.

Mrs. H. T. Crane has been very ill since Sunday and does not improve.

Condensed Statement of

The First National Bank

AND THE

Gillam-Jackson Loan & Trust Co.

At the close of business December 31, 1915

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	$625,028.27
United States Bonds	100,000.00
Redemption Fund	5,000.00
Banking House Furniture and Fixtures	34,116.39
Cash and Sight Exchange	154,150.34
Federal Reserve Bank Stock	1,200.00
Title Plant	11,636.82
Other Assets	1,636.44
Overdrafts	7,003.67
Total	**$939,771.93**

LIABILITIES

Capital and Surplus	$181,200.00
Undivided Profits	7,356.11
Circulation	100,000.00
Deposits	648,145.82
Rediscounts with Federal Bank	3,070.00
Total	**$939,771.93**

COMPARATIVE

Deposits, December 31, 1914	**$648,144.82**
Deposits, December 31, 1913	**$613,338.52**
Increase for one year	**$ 34,806.30**

The above Statements are correct,

JOS. JACKSON, JR., Cashier and Secretary

ALLEGED RUSTLERS TAKEN

Two More Arrests Are Made In Gregory County, South Dakota.

Sioux Falls, S. D., Jan. 6.—The Gregory county authorities, in pursuance of a warfare recently inaugurated against cattle "rustlers," have arrested two more men on the charge of being implicated in the theft of cattle from homesteaders and ranchers. This makes five men who have been arrested within a few days on this charge.

The latest to be arrested are Cecil Small and Cyrus Delaney, homesteaders, near Lucas. The arrest of these two men, following the arrest of three other alleged rustlers, indicates that the effort to round up the band or bands of rustlers that have been operating in Gregory and adjoining counties for some weeks is meeting with good success. It has become known that the authorities have several other persons under suspicion, and other arrests are expected.

WILL COUNT PROXY VOTE.

Poland-China Breeders Select Committee on Credentials This Morning.

The appointment of a committee on credentials was virtually the entire action at the initial meeting of the stockholders of the Standard Poland-China Record association at the court house this morning. After this appointment and a short discussion, the shareholders adjourned until 1:30 o'clock this afternoon.

The credentials committee consists of W. C. Pierce,, Maryville; W. J. Hather, Ord, Neb., and J. O. James, Braddyville, Ia. It is a special committee, the duties of which are merely to count the proxy votes this afternoon on the resolution to establish a branch office of the association at Kansas City. The proxy votes are those cast by members of the association who are not present.

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Maryville Homestead & Loan Association
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A Competency and A Home
New Series of Stock Opened January 1st
R. L. McDougal, Secretary

ST. LOUIS WOMAN SUFFERS FOR 15 YEARS; THEN FINDS RELIEF

Mrs. Rosa Bennett Escapes Operation After Taking Wonderful Stomach Remedy.

Mrs. Rosa B. Bennett of 2606B Olive street, St. Louis, Mo., was ill with stomach troubles for nearly fifteen years. She had a great deal of medical attention and took many treatments. She was advised to undergo an operation by one specialist.

Then she took Mayr's Wonderful Stomach Remedy and found swift relief. She wrote:

"I was a sufferer for about fifteen years and I tried everything. I doctored with different doctors, and each one would give my trouble a different name. One said that I would never be any better until I was operated on, and another one said I had ulcers of the stomach. I could get no relief.

"I took Mayr's Wonderful Stomach Remedy.

"Now I can't praise your medicine enough."

Mrs. Bennett has had just the same experience with Mayr's Wonderful Stomach Remedy that thousands of others have had.

Mayr's Wonderful Stomach Remedy clears the digestive tract of mucoid accretion and removes poisonous matter. It brings quick relief to sufferers from derangements of the stomach, liver and intestinal tract. Many declare it has saved them from dangerous operations; many are sure it has saved their lives.

We want all people who have chronic stomach trouble or constipation, no matter of how long standing, to try one dose of Mayr's Wonderful Stomach Remedy. One dose will convince you. This is the medicine so many of our people have been taking with surprising results. The most thorough system [illegible] ever sold. Mayr's Wonderful Stomach Remedy is now sold here [illegible] and druggists everywhere.

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Electric Lighted Drawing Room all steel sleeping cars through from St. Louis to Jacksonville. Leaves St. Louis daily beginning January 4th at 2:15 pm, arriving Jacksonville 7:30 pm, next day. All meals en route in dining cars, service a la carte. Carries compartment and observation cars beyond Evansville. Quickest schedule of any train St. Louis to Jacksonville and over the most historic and interesting route.

LOW ROUND TRIP FARES TO ALL RESORTS IN THE SOUTHEAST

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312 North 8th St., ST. LOUIS, MO.

HOPKINS NEWS.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Dalby and family returned last week from Creston, Ia., where they attended a reunion of the Dalby family.

Miss Jennie McCormick left Saturday for Indiana to resume teaching.

Dr. Lester West of Chicago returned to his home Saturday after a holiday visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. C. West.

Miss Anna Fisher visited friends in St. Joseph for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Abernathy were guests of Miss Della Nash Sunday.

Miss Mary Dragoo has returned from a visit with her sister at Rosendale.

Misses Lottie Lowden and Cora Fitch were Maryville visitors Monday.

Miss Lou Hughes, who is attending the National Kindergarten college of Chicago, returned to her work Saturday after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Hughes. Miss Hughes will graduate in June.

Fred Wooldridge left Monday for Phoenix, Ariz., where he will remain until April.

Mrs. Fred Sheley and children returned to their home in St. Joseph Saturday. They were called by the death of Mrs. Sheley's mother, Mrs. John Johnson.

Robert Wolfers and Edwin Robb were the guests of a dinner party given Wednesday by Mr. and Mrs. Ed Crum of Bedford, Ia.

J. F. Robb and daughter, Mrs. O. A. Edmonds and children will leave this week for Arizona to spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Mel Sheley entertained a number of friends at dinner New Year's in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Sheley.

Mrs. McGurk has returned from a visit with her daughter at Havelock, Neb.

Charles Evans fell from a roof Monday and received injuries from which he is suffering severely.

The freshman class of the high school will be entertained Friday night at the Nichols home, south of the city.

A large crowd attended the watch party at the Methodist church Thursday evening.

The following students returned to their schools last week: Emmett Miller, Theodore Long Edwin Robb, Frank and Lola Sargent to the Missouri state university; Pauline Robb to Fayette, Edna Robb to Jacksonville, Ill.; Robert Wolfers to Madison, Wis.; Myrl Aiken to Parkville, and Claud Grote to Des Moines, Ia.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cox and Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Jones were the guests of J. W. Lindsay at Sweetwater ranch Sunday.

Floyd Sheley and Miss Avis Foreman were married New Year's day at the bride's home, near Bedford, Ia. They will be at home on a farm north of Hopkins.

Twenty-eight couples attended the New Year's eve dance in Wolfers hall. Music was furnished by a Bedford, Ia., orchestra. At 12 o'clock a box supper was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cox gave a dance in Wolfers hall Saturday evening, entertaining thirty guests.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—17,000. Market 15c lower. Estimate tomorrow, 7,000.

Hogs—5,000. Market strong; top, $7.32. Estimate tomorrow, 38,000.

Sheep—25,000. Market weak.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—7,000. Market slow.

Hogs—14,000. Market strong; top, $7.25.

Sheep—8,000. Market weak.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—2,000. Market slow.

Hogs—10,000. Market strong; top, $7.20.

Sheep—500. Market weak.

Revival Begins Tonight.

The evangelistic meetings at the Christian church at Burlington Junction, where were to have begun Monday night, will not begin until tonight. Charles A. Lockhart, considered one of the foremost educators of Missouri, will conduct the special services. The Rev. Mr. Love, pastor, will assist.

To Take Special Instruction.

Ray Shipps and Henry Seipel, who live south of the city, left yesterday afternoon for Kansas City where they will attend the Indiana school of Gas Tractioneering. The young man will attend a two weeks' special term of instruction.

Returns From Vacation.

Miss Beulah Hoagland, operator for the Mutual telephone exchange at Skidmore, has returned from a week's vacation spent at Mound City and Maitland.

Goes to Texas.

Mrs. M. E. McCrary left yesterday for Gainesville, Texas, on a short business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Breedlove spent Sunday at Bedison, the guests of Mrs. Breedlove's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Kidd.

(First Insertion Dec. 10, last Jan. 13.)

To whom it may concern: Notice is hereby given that I, Fred P. Robinson, assignee of the estate of William B. Finn, deceased, being satisfied that it is no longer advantageous to the creditors of said assignor to keep the assignment open, will, on the 18th day of January, 1915, file my application with the clerk of the circuit court of Nodaway county, Missouri, asking and praying for my full discharge from the trust as such assignee.

Witness my hand this 10th day of December, 1914.

FRED P. ROBINSON.

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MARYVILLE —:— MISSOURI

RUSSIANS WIN BIG VICTORY

Muscovite Forces Crush Invading Turkish Hordes.

FIGHT WITH GREAT BRAVERY.

Two of Three Columns of Troops Entering Caucasus Meet With Overwhelming Disaster at Sari Kamysh. Austrians Fleeing Through Snow.

WAR BULLETINS

In the eastern theater of the war, both Petrograd and Berlin assert that conditions remain virtually unchanged, although the operations are proceeding without cessation.

In the west the most severe fighting is taking place on the eastern end of the line, where the French declare they have made gains in the occupation of strategic positions in the vicinity of Rouvrois and St. Mihiel.

London, Jan. 6.—Two of the three Turkish columns which last week invaded the Russian Caucasus have met with disaster and the troops not killed or captured are in disorderly retreat, pursued by the Russians. The column which took Ardahan two days ago has been driven out of that town, according to the Petrograd official dispatches, and is almost surrounded by the Russians, who hold the main roads.

Another column, which crossed the frontier near Sari Kamysh, on the road to Kars, has suffered an even worse defeat, one of the two army corps which composed it being captured in its entirety.

The following report received from the Russian headquarters in the Caucasus was made public:

"Our troops won a complete victory over the Turks at Sari Kamysh. We have beaten two Turkish army corps and made the entire Ninth Turkish army corps, including its commander and three division commanders, prisoners. Small bodies of Turkish troops which succeeded in escaping were rigorously pursued and destroyed. We continue pursuit of the other parts of the Turkish forces, which are in full retreat."

Austrians Fleeing Through Snow.

The Russians report a victory over the Austrians in the Uzsok pass of the Carpathians. Emperor Francis Joseph's army in this region is declared to be in full retreat in a mountain pass deep in snow, while a violent snowstorm rages and the Russian cavalry is attacking on the flank and rear.

While forcing back the Turks and Austrians, the Russian troops are holding the line of the Mazurian lakes in East Prussia; are fighting strenuously to withstand the German offensive in north Poland; are advancing towards Cracow and have crossed Bukowina, which is now virtually in their possession.

Except at the two extreme wings, on the Belgian coast and in upper Alsace, where the allies have gained some ground, the fighting on the western front has been done by sappers, miners and artillery. From the coast to the Swiss border the troops either have been engaged in shelling the opposite trenches or trying to sap and mine them. Only at isolated points has the infantry been given its opportunity. A few hundred yards have been gained by the allies among the dunes of Flanders, despite the unfavorable weather.

RACE UP MOUNTAIN SIDE

French Win Three-Mile Sprint For Possession of Steinbach.

Thann, Alsace, Jan. 6.—A race of three miles up the steep slope at Engelburg, through thickets and up rocky steps, between a battalion of French light infantry with mountain guns and a German battery determined the result of the stubborn fight for the Alsatian town of Steinbach.

The French surprised a movement of the German battery ascending toward the summit of the mountain by road, and taking a short cut, accomplished what seemed to be the impossible.

The French battalion arrived five minutes before the Germans appeared in an open space and had just time to put into position their mountain guns. Five minutes more and all was over. Too late the Germans attempted to retire and the batttery was annihilated.

Canal Fort Guns Too Few.

Washington, Jan. 6.—Governor Goethals of the Panama canal zone told the house appropriations subcommittee on fortifications that while guns and ammunition at the canal were ample now, it was necessary to have provision for duplications.

Kansas Sends Cargo of Food.

New York, Jan. 6.—The steamship Hannah sailed for Rotterdam with a $500,000 cargo of food and clothing, contributed by the people of Kansas for the relief of destitute Belgians.

Mme. Gerville-Reache Is Dead.

New York, Jan. 6.—Mme. Gerville-Reache, former contralto at the Manhattan Opera house, died at Roosevelt hospital. For a week she had been seriously ill of blood poisoning.

Anton Von Werner, Artist, Dead.

Berlin, Jan. 6.—The death of Anton von Werner, the artist, is announced.

ALBERT S. BURLESON.

Postmaster General May Enter Race For United States Senate.

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TO TRADE CAPTIVES UNABLE TO FIGHT

Agreement Is Reached Between England and Germany.

London, Jan. 6.—The official information bureau announced that an agreement had been reached between England and Germany providing for the exchange of prisoners of war who were incapacitated for further service. The announcement is as follows:

"On Dec. 10 the British government proposed to the German government through the United States that arrangements be made for the exchange of British and German officers and men, prisoners of war, who were physically incapacitated for further military service. The acceptance of this offer by the German government was conveyed to the British government on the 31st. Arrangements are being made to give effect to it."

SAILS PAST GERMAN MINES

Yankee Skipper Lands Cargo of Cotton at Bremen.

Bremen, Jan. 6.—Owing to the daring of an American skipper the steamer Elmonte, which sailed from Galveston, Tex., arrived at Bremen. The Elmonte brought more than 6,600 bales of cotton, the first to reach this port during the war. It was the first American merchantman to visit Bremen in forty years.

Captain Edward T. Pinchin of the Elmonte, after the voyage across the Atlantic, took on a British pilot at Deal, but fearing that the pilot would be interned if he entered German waters, the captain dropped him at the Hook of Holland. At the Hook, Dutch pilots refused to assist the American skipper, saying that it was impossible on account of mines to make the trip.

Captain Pinchin was determined to go on, saying that he would take his ship to its destination or know the reason why. Accordingly, he proceeded without a pilot, picking his own course without mine charts or other aid. He made his way to Bremen, greatly to the amazement of the Germans.

Captain Pinchin says the trip is comparatively easy provided a skipper uses common sense. The Elmonte is to return to America shortly with 1,500 tons of mixed cargo.

Swedish Ship Sunk; Twenty Lost.

London, Jan. 6.—According to advices received here from Stockholm, the Swedish steamer Carma has been lost in the North sea, with its crew of twenty men. It is presumed that the Carma struck a mine.

Autos Cost Many Lives.

New York, Jan. 6.—Automobiles killed 290 persons in this city last year, as compared with 302 in 1913. In the state, outside this city, the number in 1914 was 310, as against 149 in 1913.

Carranza's Army Retakes Puebla.

Vera Cruz, Mexico, Jan. 6.—General Obregon reported to Carranza headquarters that he had captured the city of Puebla, capital of the state of that name. All Vera Cruz is celebrating.

ITALY HAS MILLION MEN UNDER ARMS

Rome, Jan. 6.—The death on the French battlefield of Lieutenant Bruno Garibaldi has caused a revival of public sentiment throughout Italy in favor of war, this feeling being augmented by the belief that the Italian military preparations now have been perfected. About 1,000,000 men will be under arms within the present month and another 1,000,000 men are being formed into a reserve ready to be called out at a moment's notice.

A CHILD'S LAXATIVE IS "SYRUP OF FIGS"

They Love to Take It and It Doesn't Harm the Tender Little Stomach, Liver and Bowels.

When your child suffers from a cold don't wait; give the little stomach, liver and bowels a gentle, thorough cleansing at once. When cross, peevish, listless, pale, doesn't sleep, eat or act naturally; if breath is bad, stomach sour, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the clogged-up, constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food will gently move out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again.

If your child coughs, snuffles and has caught cold or is feverish or has a sore throat give a good dose of "California Syrup of Figs," to evacuate the bowels, no difference what other treatment is given.

Sick children needn't be coaxed to take this harmless "fruit laxative." Millions of mothers keep it handy because they know its action on the stomach, liver and bowels is prompt and sure. They also know a little given today saves a sick child tomorrow.

Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which contains directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. Get the genuine, made by "California Fig Syrup Company."

LETTER LIST.

Following is a list of the letters remaining unclaimed in the Maryville postoffice for the week ending Wednesday, January 6.

Men.

Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Robt.
Waden, L. M. (foreign).

Women.

Aliene, Elva (official).
Carmean, Mrs. Wm.
Cozad, Miss Nellie.
Gilbert, Miss Mary.
Mills, Miss Wilma.
Sabens, Miss Lillie.
Stephens, Miss Gladys.

Miscellaneous.

Messrs. Glass & Clark.

Persons calling for the above named letters will please say "advertised."

JAMES TODD, Postmaster.

Chillicothe Gives to Belgians.

The citizens of Chillicothe and Livingston county have made a donation of 455 sacks of flour to the destitute in the war stricken nations across the waters. Last week J. T. Milbank, who was in charge of the work shipped the 455 sacks of flour to Philadelphia from which place the flour will go by steamer.

Returns to Bolckow.

Mrs. J. H. Goforth and daughter, Bertha, who have been spending several days visiting Mrs. Goforth's son, W. E. Goforth, and family, have returned to their home at Bolckow.

MULES—We have a few span of heavy bone, well matched 3-year-old mules to sell. Can give time on purchase price if desired. G. W. Lucas. 6-tf

YOU can go to the California Exposition

You don't have to travel on an extravagant "Limited" train in order to visit the California Expositions. Glitter and rosewood, plush and excessive speed, have little to do with real comfort and saiisfaction. Certainly if economy is attractive, you can just as well save considerable on your traveling expenses and have money in your pocket to do things with after your arrival.

Join a Burlington Route "Personally Conducted" party. Through Pullman Tourist Sleeping cars, wonderful scenery, inexpensive, and a special guide and conductor all the way.

Save your money! See everything! Travel in safety and comfort and in good company. Get up a party—let me help. Let me send you free pictures, maps and a descriptive folder. Don't delay, but find out about this NOW.

W. E. GOFORTH
Ticket Agent.
BURLINGTON ROUTE.

DEMOCRAT-FORUM

WANT ADS

For Results. For Results.

Classified ads running three days or more one-half cent per word for each insertion; minimum rate 25c for three days. Interrupted insertions 1 cent a word for each insertion.

For Rent.

FOR RENT—Furnished room, three blocks from square. 110 South Fillmore. 10-tf

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms at 107 North Buchanan street.

FOR RENT OR SALE—House and four lots in Lyndhurst addition. W. B. Scott, Farmers phone 814. 4-6

FOR RENT—Brick residence, $12. E. A. Appleby, at Vernon Dickson's barber shop. 5-tf

FOR RENT—7-room house in northwest part town. Call at Glover & Alexander. 5-7

FOR RENT—5-room flat, electric lights and bath, over Ashford millinery store. For particulars call Hanamo 38. 26-tf

For Sale.

FOR SALE—Improved 5-acre tract near Maryville. S. H. Kemp, 4-9

FOR SALE—Kindling wood. Route 3; phone 4X. Frank Martin. 5-2

WOOD FOR SALE—All dry ash, hickory and oak, $3.00 and $4.00 for full guaranteed cord. Other wood $1.00 load. Will deliver. Native lumber for sale. Saunders Bros., Hanamo phone 3698. 14-tf

FOR SALE—Car of Swift's digester tankage. At Burlington tracks. Prices right. See us before you buy. Childress & Co. 2-tf

FOR SALE—A roll top desk and chair. Inquire at Wilderman garage. 5-tf

FOR SALE—White Orpington cockerels, English strain. W. A. Rhodes, phone Ravenwood. 12-10

FOR SALE—Buff Rock roosters. Mrs. R. H. Duncan, Farmers phone 32-13. 4-6

FOR SALE—A few extra fine Barred Plymouth Rock cockerels, $1 each. Mrs. A. J. McKillip, phone 39-15. 4-6

FOR SALE—Fresh cow and calf. Also a few R. C. W. Leghorn cockerels. John Gross, Hanamo phone 4496. 4-9

FOR SALE—Poland-China boars, immuned, 2 years old. C. T. Barrow, route 1, Maryville. Farmers phone 36-12. 4-6

FOR SALE—Non-freezable hog waterer. Also hog oilers. Write for free circular. Wm. Menfee, Atlantic, Iowa. 6-8

FOR SALE—Second hand Round Oak stove at Democrat-Forum office. tf.

Miscellaneous.

NOTICE—All persons indebted to Dr. A. B. Allen are requested to call and settle. 4-9.

FOUND—Lady's black kid glove, new. Call Democrat-Forum office. 4-6

WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. Send cash price and description. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn.

CAR of guaranteed 2 yellow corn on Wabash track, 72c bushel. Yowell & Son. 4-6

SANITARY ENGINEERING requires experienced mechanics and good materials. Our appliances and "knowing how" insures satisfaction. Standard Plumbing Co.

WANTED—A girl or middle aged woman for general housework. Mrs. S. L. Beech, phone 412. 4-6

Lost.

LOST—Near Pickering, small gold Waltham watch, hunting case, with initials engraved in back of case; leather fob with Indian arrow head pendant. Reward to finder. Howard Null, Pickering. 6-8

Bred Sow Sale

We will sell at public auction at Maryville, Missouri, on

Friday, Jan. 22, 1915

beginning at 12:30 p.m.

70—HAMPSHIRE SOWS—70

All bred for early farrow. These hogs are all registered. Will also sell at auction 12 head of weanling mule colts and one brood mare, heavy in foal by Jack. These will be sold beginning at 11 a. m.

We also have seven Jacks and four Jennets to be sold at private sale. All registered. Ages from 9 years to weanling colts.

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VOLUME 5. MARYVILLE, MISSOURI, WEDNESDAY, JAN. 6, 1915. NO. 186.

WOULD STAY HERE

HOG BREEDERS OPPOSE MOVE OF HEADQUARTERS.

110 ATTEND BANQUET

Members Standard Poland-China Record Association of Four States Present—"Don't Leave Parent,"

If the offices of the Standard Poland-China Record association are moved from Maryville to Kansas City as the result of a vote on such a resolution this afternoon by the shareholders, it will not be by the vote of those members who attended the annual association banquet at the Elks club last night. Not if appearances indicate anything, at least.

For not among the whole 110 who feasted, witnessed cabaret "stunts" and heard music and speaking last night could be found one who apparently favored the proposition to "leave home," as George Robb Ellison so aptly expressed the proposed change. So if the vote this afternoon takes one of Maryville's chief factors away, it will be by the proxy votes and not by the ballot of those who partake of this town's hospitality.

Best Meeting Ever.

Maryville has always royally entertained the association members, it is well known, but never before this time did these visiting hog breeders seem to realize the debt they owed to Maryville, the "parent," for the success, growth and expansion of the Standard association. And perhaps never before have so many attended. In fact, it is known that double the usual number of visiting members are in attendance today.

The resolution to change headquarters caused the increased interest, and virtually all who are here expect to fight the move to change locations.

The banquet began last night with a four-course luncheon. It was interspersed with music by Maulding's six-piece orchestra, and songs and dances by Miss Gladys Keyser of Brookfield and Miss Besse Scott and Frank Schumacher and Jesse Miller, Jr., of Maryville. They did well, if the volume of applause is any indication.

Reviews History of Standard.

Following the banquet, Fred Hull, president of the Commercial club, acted as toastmaster. He first introduced W. J. Hather of Ord, Neb., and B. F. Gilmore of Hopkins, vice president of the association.

Ira K. Alderman, the "father" of the organization, and prime mover in its formation in 1886, was the first speaker. He reviewed the history of the Standard Poland-China Record association, told of the fight made against it by other similar organizations, of its advantages over others and of the association's solvency at all times. His remarks brought forth many cheers.

J. H. Harvey of Maryville, president of the association, next was presented. "I can talk to hogs better than I can to men," said President Harvey in introduction. "But I want to say that everything is going along smoothly and splendidly relative to the Standard association, and that we have a right to be proud of the growth and expansion the association is making."

Sees Expansion Ahead.

C. H. Walker, editor of the Poland-China Journal, of Kansas City, next spoke. He dwelt upon the evident chances for the Standard association to continue to grow, in view of the fact that the hog raising industry is all the time advancing and enlarging in the west and southwest.

George Robb Ellison next spoke on behalf of the city of Maryville. Mr. Ellison expressed to the visiting guests the appreciation which Maryville and Nodaway county holds for the Standard association. "After it has seen the organization born and nurtured to one which is represented in two dozen states and has a membership of 1,138 surely you gentlemen would not make any attempt to leave us," said Mr. Ellison.

"We people here in Maryville feel, in a way, just as a mother feels toward a child. After you have grown up and become of age some would remove the association bodily from its parents and nurturers, and take it to a new clime

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SOUL'S NEED IS GREATER

Baptist Audience Hears Appeal for Spiritual Growth in Evangelistic Service.

Although the audience was small on account of the unpleasant weather, the lyceum course entertainment and other attractions in the city, the special meeting at the Baptist church last night apparently greatly interested the crowd. The sermon was delivered by the Rev. L. M. Hale, pastor.

Arch A. Carter, special singer and choir director, also gave a solo, "A Little Bit of Love," in addition to special music by the chorus of forty voices.

Mr. Hale took as his text, "Only take heed to thyself, and keep thy soul diligently, lest thou forget the things which thine eyes have seen, and lest they depart from thy heart all the days of thy life."

Mr. Hale said in part:

"My purpose in trying to bring this message, is from the standpoint of serving. Let us try to look through the eyes of Moses and see if we can discover a part from the great heart of the servant of God when he speaks them. I believe it is a heart message and not a head message. Moses is about to leave them.

"Moses has gone through their hardships with them and has had his heart crushed a hundred times in trying to lead them out of Egypt into the promised land. He is speaking from a standpoint of experience. He knows that there is tendency for Israel to forget their deeper needs. He knows they have forgotten them. They are crying for something to eat and wear. For material needs rather than spiritual needs.

"He exhorts them to 'Take heed to keep their souls diligently,' to look after their great spiritual needs and exhorts them not only for their own sakes but for their children's sakes.

"I believe if Moses were speaking today to the church and people outside the church that he would use the same exhortation. Look after your spiritual needs. Don't become so absorbed in the getting of material things that you forget that there is a better self; that there is an eternal need. No man can do his children a greater injustice than to forget that the spiritual needs are greater than the material needs.

"God did not let Israel suffer—He fed them, provided clothing and food for them, yet there is a tendency on their part to neglect the deeper things, to forget God. Israel had not forgotten God, but had drifted away. Their forgetfulness led them into sin. Folks have not ceased to forget yet. God manifested Himself in so many ways to Israel, and Israel drifted away. He sent calamity after calamity and brought them back and they forgot.

"As these times of reminding men and women come over and over they become hardened to them. A man becomes hardened to God's call, to His chastening until there is no power that will influence him toward God. 'If ye hear His voice, harden not your heart.' Our soul's need is the greater need. The inner man needs more attention than the outer man."

ST. JOSEPH AFTER STANDARD.

Commerce Club Committee Would Like Headquarters of Poland-China Association.

W. E. Spratt, president of the Commerce club of St. Joseph, accompanied by H. E. Moores, L. D. VanVleit and George W. Calvert of that city, came to Maryville today to attend the meeting of the Standard Poland-China Record association this afternoon. The object of their visit is to get the association to locate in St. Joseph if it should decide to move away from Maryville.

Mr. Spratt said: "We are not fighting Maryville, but if the association should decide to move away, we want them to locate in St. Joseph."

Begin Feature Pictures.

Mary Pickford in "Behind the Scenes" was shown in a six-reel feature film at the Fern theater last night as a starter to the three-a-week feature pictures which James Ellis has arranged for. The next feature film will be shown tomorrow night in the form of "The County Chairman," in which Maclyn Arbuckle, a Paramount star, takes the leading part. It is considered one of the Paramount's best features and is a recent release.

Paramount Pictures **Maclyn Arbuckle** **The County Chairman**

Thursday, January 7—First show starting at 7:15 sharp—second show starting at 8:35. 5 minutes intermission between shows. You can see a whole show if you arrive as late as nine o'clock. This schedule will be followed to the minute on all 5 reel features.

FERN THEATRE **5 and 10 cents**

STANDARD STAYS

POLAND-CHINA ASSOCIATION TO REMAIN IN MARYVILLE.

538 AGAINST CHANGE

W. O. Garrett and F. P. Robinson of This City Elected Members of the Board of Directors.

The headquarters of the Standard Poland-China Record association is to remain in Maryville.

By a vote of 538 against the resolution to establish a branch office in Kansas City to 52 votes for, Maryville easily and overwhelmingly succeeded in keeping the organization, which was formed here twenty-nine years ago. There were 54 uninstructed proxy votes, reported by W. C. Pierce, chairman of the credentials committee.

The long expected fight on the resolution to change did not materialize. Instead, so overwhelming was the vote to keep the offices here that those who really were for removal backed down and let the loyal ones have full sway.

The vote came at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon, after the stockholders had assembled in the circuit court room of the court house.

L. R. McClarnon of Braddyville, Ia., vice president of the association for Iowa, who was delegated as president pro tem. in the absence of J. F. Cox of Keithsburg, Ill., president, delegated F. P. Robinson of this city to take the chair and preside during the vote.

W. C. Pierce, chairman of the newly appointed committee on credentials, then made the report. It showed there were 538 nay votes, 52 yea votes and 54 uninstructed votes on the resolution to establish a branch office of the association in Kansas City.

The resolution was read by W. O. Garrett of this city. He is chairman of the executive committee. He moved the non-adoption of the resolution.

H. L. Faulkner of Jamesport, one of the original friends of the removal resolution, then moved that the rules be suspended and that the entire vote be cast against the removal resolution. This move of Faulkner, one of the strong friends for removal, assured the victory for Maryville. He is a member of the board of directors.

Alvin Windon of Nodaway, Ia., was elected president of the association for the ensuing year. E. E. Carver of Guilford was selected as a vice president of the association from Missouri.

An entire new board of directors was chosen. They are: W. O. Garrett and Fred P. Robinson of this city, S. S. Spangler of Milan, J. C. Meese of Ord, Neb.; T. J. Dowe of Troy, Kan.; L. R. McClarnon of Braddyville, Ia., and Thomas A. Shattuck of Hastings, Neb.

The financial report of the association for the past year shows that the total assets were about $22,000, and that the increase in assets were $2,500 over 1913.

The board of directors will meet late this afternoon, after the meeting, to elect a president of the board, a treasurer and a secretary. It is said that the present secretary, George F. Woodworth, will not be an applicant for the position, and rumor has it that Ray Davis of Nebraska will be his successor.

CARRIED WEAPON, CHARGED.

Will Try Fred C. James, Elmo, in Circuit Court on Two Counts.

Fred C. James, who lives near Elmo, was arrested this morning by Sheriff Edwin Wallace on a charge of having carried and exhibited a dangerous weapon. He was brought here this morning and arraigned before Justice Warren L. Johnson on both counts. He waived a preliminary hearing and was bound over for trial in the circuit court, which convenes here January 18.

His appearance bond of $500 was furnished by Marion W. Bowman, a neighbor.

ODD FELLOWS CELEBRATE.

Local Lodge Banquets After Two Months' Membership Campaign —Install Later.

A banquet was held by White Cloud lodge, No. 92, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, last night in celebration of the success of the two months' membership campaign, which closed last month. Degree work preceded the banquet. About sixty attended.

The installation of new members will not be held until next Tuesday night or two weeks from last night, depending on how soon the auditing committee can finish its work. It made its report last night, but though the figures tallied, a checking of the whole will be made before a final report is accepted.

12 DIE IN SUBWAY

NEW YORK FIRE RAGES DURING RUSH IN TUNNEL.

SMOKE OVERCOMES 300

Early Morning Passengers Plunged Into Underground Flames—Fifty Unconscious Ones Recovered.

New York, Jan. 6.—Twelve persons were killed in a fire which raged in a subway at Broadway, near Fifty-fifth street, at the height of the rush hour this morning. More than fifty other passengers were taken from the subway trains in an unconscious condition.

More than 300 persons were overcome by the smoke, and only were saved from suffocation by the prompt rescue of the fire department and volunteer helpers.

Little damage was done in the subway. The cause of the fire has not been definitely determined.

TWO ARE CONVERTED.

South Methodist Revival Draws Crowd Despite Weather.

Two conversions resulted last night at the evangelistic services that are in progress at the Buchanan Street Methodist church. Despite the stormy weather and other meetings that were held last night, more interest was shown than at any of the previous meetings of the series.

TRAVELING SALESMAN DIES.

A. A. Givens of Kansas City Dies Monday—Was Well Known Here.

Allen A. Givens of Kansas City, one of the best known traveling salesmen who visit Maryville, died Monday at his home in Kansas City. The body was taken to Carrollton for burial and the services held there today.

Mr. Givens represented the Calhoun-Robbins firm of New York City and has been coming to Maryville on stated trips for the past eight years. Mr. Givens had been ill for eleven weeks past with typhoid fever.

AUSTRALIAN WANTS FOWLS.

Judge W. H. Crawford Gets Inquiry from Melbourne—Win Poultry Prizes.

The fame of the Nodaway county fowl extends around the globe.

At least, it would appear so from a letter of inquiry received by Judge W. H. Crawford this week from a poultry fancier in Melbourne, Australia. Judge Crawford raises some mighty fine Buff Wyandottes, just as does his law partner, Judge J. H. Sayler.

So Judge Crawford placed a small advertisement of the fact recently in The Poultry Success, published at Springfield, O. That is how the Melbourne fancier learned of the famous fowls of Nodaway. The Oceanica gentleman wants the fowls, but bemoans the fact that the shipping charges are so high.

Judge Crawford and son and Otho Robey of this city also feel quite well satisfied with the showing their birds made last week at the annual show of the Northwest Missouri Poultry Fanciers' association, which was held in Chillicothe.

Mr. Robey's winnings were: First cock, first and second hen, first and second pullet, first pen. On the coop was marked eight premiums, and he expects to hear from the two specials soon.

Crawford & Son won first cockerel, first hen and first pullet.

Schumann Quintet Good.

The Schumann Quintet, the fifth number of the lyceum course, entertained a large audience last night at the First Christian church. Carl Lampert directed. John Kendrick Bangs, the noted author, humorist and editor, appears next, the date being February 3.

Leaves for Des Moines.

G. R. Cornelius of Des Moines, Ia., who, with Mrs. Cornelius, has been spending a two weeks vacation in Maryville with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Murrin, left for his home this morning. Mrs. Cornelius will remain a couple of weeks longer.

Will Bury Baby Tomorrow.

Funeral services for Chester, the 18-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry N. Moore, who died yesterday afternoon, will be held at 1 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the home, northwest of the city.

TO HOLD FUNERAL TOMORROW.

Services for Miss Kildow Will Be Held at Miller Residence.

The funeral services for Miss Emma Kildow, who died Saturday morning at Prescott, Ariz., will be held at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, at the residence of Mrs. Catherine Miller, 548 West Third street. The service will be conducted by the Rev. S. D. Harkness, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, assisted by the Rev. G. S. Cox, pastor of the First Methodist church. The interment will be at Miriam cemetery.

The body will lie in state at the Miller residence from 10 till 1 o'clock tomorrow.

Among the out-of-town people in the city to attend the funeral are Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Irwin of Los Angeles, Cal.; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Miller of Collinsville, Okla., and Arthur Miller of Kansas City. The body of Miss Kildow, accompanied by Mrs. Catherine Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Irwin, arrived in Maryville at noon.

444 LICENSED TO HUNT.

Nodaway County Sportsmen Contribute Much to State—Expire January 1.

Former County Clerk George W. Demott issued 444 county hunter's licenses during 1914, which amounted to a contribution of $444 the sportsmen of the county made to the state. No state licenses were issued, although Demott had ten of them on hand and a supply of 500 county certificates. All licenses to hunt expire January 1 each year, so that even if a person would have secured a license December 31 he would have to get another the next day.

County licenses cost $1 while state licenses cost $5. Several licenses for 1915 have already been issued by the new county clerk, Fred J. Yeomans.

VISITS COUNTY FARM.

County Court Reports Infirmary Conditions Are Good—May Adjourn Today.

The new county court visited the county farm yesterday afternoon. On his return, Presiding Judge W. M. Blackford said the court found conditions there good and that the inmates appeared to be satisfied.

Little business of importance is coming up at the initial meeting of the court. A few bills have been allowed, a license renewed for the operation of pool tables by Granville Herndon, and some plans made for further bridge work.

The court may adjourn late this afternoon.

COLD SNAP FOLLOWS THAW.

Rain and Moderation Gives Way to Freeze Today—See Strange Rainbow.

The thaw brought about yesterday by the combined means of a rise in temperature, "soft" winds and a drizzling rain, gave way early this morning to a decline of temperature, which went to the freezing point. It made the walks and streets again slippery and pedestrians walked again this morning with care, as they have had to do for several weeks.

The highest temperature yesterday was 42 degrees, but the rain and "soft" breezes made the snow and ice melt as rapidly as though the temperature was at least at the 60 mark.

The lowest temperature recorded by J. R. Brink, official observer, for the twenty-four hours preceding 7 o'clock this morning was 28 degrees. That was early this morning.

One of the strange features of the weather was observed in the western sky, near the horizon, about 8 o'clock yesterday morning. It was a clear and distinct rainbow. It is seldom that one is observed that early in the day at any time of year, particularly so in the winter, when a rainbow is infrequent at any hour.

Kansas Visitors Leave.

Mr. and Mrs. Oren Silvers of Meade, Kan., who have been visiting relatives at Barnard, left for their home Monday afternoon. En route they will stop for a visit at Rosendale and Savannah.

Leaves For California.

Mrs. Henry Amos Reed of Los Angeles, Cal., who had been spending the month past visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Clark at the Linville hotel, left Monday afternoon for her home.

Leave for Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Hopper have gone to Jacksonville, Fla., where they will spend the remainder of the winter months.

Daniel McGrew of Graham was in the city yesterday on business.

ANNIHILATE TURKS

RUSSIANS WIN BIGGEST VICTORY OF WAR.

TRAP OTTOMAN TROOPS

Several Corps of Teutons' Ally, Unable to Extricate Selves, Are Mowed Down—Is Big Loss.

Petrograd, Jan. 6.—The biggest victory for the Russians since the war began apparently has just been gained at the expense of the Turkish troops, according to reports being received here from the southern army. From these dispatches it indicates that three or more corps of the Turkish army have been surrounded and practically annihilated.

Two of these troops, which were near Sari Kamysh, Transcaucasia, were defeated utterly. One of them surrendered, while the remnants of the other were pursued and captured.

The latest report says that the Ninth Turkish corps was completely annihilated by the Russian pursuers.

REVIEWS STANDARD'S LIFE

I. K. Alderman, "Father," Tells Poland-China Breeders History of the Association.

In the initial address at the banquet of the Standard Poland-China association at the Elks club last night, Judge Ira K. Alderman, known as the "father" of the organization, reviewed the history of the association in part as follows:

"Back of the Standard existed an association known as the Northwest Missouri Poland-China Breeders' association, organized February 23, 1884, pursuant to a call issued by W. P. Hayzlett, of Bolckow. At this meeting, W. P. Hayzlett was elected president; D. D. Bollinger, of Hopkins, vice-president, and Geo. L. Drennan, of Maryville secretary and ex-officio treasurer. Articles of association were adopted and the object of the association was declared to be "for mutual benefit in the breeding and rearing of Poland-China swine." The meetings of this association were to be semi-annual.

"There were twelve members present at this organization, as follows: W. P. Hayzlett, Bolckow; E. E. Carver, Guilford; I. V. LaTourette, Skidmore; D. D. Bollinger, Hopkins; B. F. Gilmore, Gaynor City; and S. Cummings, Dr. John W. Dean, Frank Bellows, Wm. T. Garrett, Ira K. Alderman, Lyman Parcher and Geo. L. Drennan of Maryville, most of whom are still members in the Standard Poland-China Record Association. Meetings continued semi-annually until October 6, 1886, when the Standard was formally organized.

"December 2, 1884, I was chosen secretary of the old association and continued in that office during its existence.

"On December 10, 1885, I suggested the idea of organizing a new Poland-China Record for the reason that western breeders were constantly annoyed with the burden of buying three or four sets of records in order to trace the pedigrees of their herds intelligently.

The Standard Poland-China Association was formally organized October 6, 1886. The name was suggested by Mr. Hayzlett.

New men began to appear. The states of Missouri, Kansas Nebraska, Iowa and Indiana were represented by sixty-five shareholders as early as September 21, 1886, clearly proving that Poland-China breeders were determined to have it. D. F. Risk, of Weston, was chosen temporary chairman, and I temporary secretary.

"The first set of officers elected was as follows: D. F. Risk, Weston, president; J. W. Dean, Maryville, vice-president; W. H. Morris, Indianapolis, Ind., vice-president; W. A. Edson, Lancaster Kan., vice-president; H. E. Heath, Republican City, Neb., vice-president; Ira K. Alderman, Maryville, secretary; W. T. Garrett, Maryville, treasurer.

"The association was incorporated August 8, 1887. It now has a membership of 1,138 located in about two dozen states of the central west and west. The membership increased by fifty-four the last year. The capital stock is now $30,000 and is divided into 3,000 shares."

THE WEATHER

Generally fair tonight and Thursday; colder tonight; fresh northwest winds diminishing.

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SEES BIG FUTURE AHEAD

Poland-China Expert Urges Standard Breeders to Try West and South Fields.

The Standard Poland-China Record association has a bright future before it, in the opinion of C. H. Walker, editor of the Poland-China Journal of Kansas City. In address before the Standard banqueters at the Elks club last night, Mr. Walker explained why this was possible. He pointed to the south, southwest, west and northwest as the field to yet be conquered.

"There never has been a time in the history of the breed when so many and so inviting fields were open to the Poland-China breeders," began Mr. Walker. "Having completed the conquest of the corn belt, the Polands will now, if they live up to the full measure of their opportunities, proceed to the conquest of other sections of the country where the interest in hog growing has increased with amazing rapidity during the past few years.

"During the past the task of supplying the country with pork products has been delegated to the farmers of the corn belt. The south was too busy with its cotton and the west and southwest with their cattle to bother with the humble porker. Salt pork from the northern packing houses formed an essential part of the diet of the laborers in the cotton fields, and ham and bacon from the same source was the mainstay of the cowboy in the cattle country. No section of the country outside the corn belt has in the past produced pork to supply the home demand.

"This condition of affairs has occupied the attention of the farm economists in these various sections in recent years, and they have at last succeeded in arousing a genuine interest in hog growing. As a result of this interest there will be a rapid increase in the number of hogs grown in these sections during the next few years, and a consequent increase in the demand for breeding stock.

"If the Poland-China breeders do not profit from this increased demand it will not be because of any lack of merit in the breed, but because of a lack of enterprise on the part of the Poland-China breeders. If the members of the Standard Poland-China Record association do not profit more than other breeders from this condition it will be because they fail to take advantage of the opportunities open to them, for they are situated adjacent to these very sections in which interest in hog growing is now at white heat—the south, the southwest, the west and the northwest.

"The functions of a record association such as the Standard Poland-China Record association are not confined to keeping an accurate record of the pedigrees of the animals bred by its members. Not the least important work that properly belongs to such an association is the spying out of new fields for the expansion of the breed, and the devising of ways and means for gaining for its members the fullest advantage that such new fields offer as a market for breeding stock.

"I believe that your association should have a trade expansion department, similar to that maintained by the commercial bodies of our cities, the business of which should be to seek out these new fields, study their needs, and devise ways and means of supplying these needs.

"If we expect the new hog breeders to adopt the Poland-China we must convince them that the Poland-China is the hog for them to grow. In order to do this we must tell them about the Poland-China, and give them reasons why they should grow it in preference to other breeds. To do this we must provide them with Poland-China literature. We must give them practical demonstration of the superiority of the Poland-Chinas by exhibiting the best animals.

"There is no question but that a big and profitable trade can be worked up by the members of this association with the south and west if systematic effort is put forth to cultivate the acquaintance of the farmers and breeders there."

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3 cans Plymouth Rock Sauer Kraut	25c
3 cans Plymouth Rock Hominy	25c
3 cans Food King Pumpkin	25c
3 cans Red Kidney Beans Frontier	25c
15c can Plymouth Rock Red Beets	10c
Gal. can Logan Berries	60c
Gal. can Blackberries	50c
Gal. can Black Raspberries	60c
Gal. can Frontier Peaches	45c
Gal. can Frontier Apricots	45c
1 pound Creamy after dinner Mints	15c
1 pound California English Walnuts	25c
Fancy Ben Davis Apples peck	35c
2 large Grape Fruit	15c
2 quarts Cranberries	15c
Solid head Cabbage, per pound	2c
3 pounds fancy Dry Peaches	25c
2 lbs. fancy Dry Apricots	35c
2 lbs bleached Sultana Raisins	35c
1 lb. Cluster Raisins	20c
1 lb. fancy Peeled Dry Peaches	25c
Quart Log Cabin Syrup	35c
½ Gallon can Log Cabin Syrup	65c
Gallon can Log Cabin Syrup	$1.25
4½ lbs. fancy Jap Rice	25c
4 10c-rolls Toilet paper	25c
7 bars Pearl White soap	25c
4 cans Eagle Powdered Lye	25c
3 5c-packages Rub No More Washing Powder	10c

Flour is advancing every day for Thursday and Friday our price, Bulte's Best Flour, 48 pound sack $1.60

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Strawberries	
Blackberries	
Red Raspberries	
Black Raspberries, per can	15c
2 cans Frontier Succotash	25c
Frontier Green String Beans per can	10c
Frontier Yellow Wax Beans per can	10c
3 cans Frontier Sugar Corn	25c
2 cans Richelieu Corn	25c
3 cans Frontier Sweet Potatoes	35c
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Gallon, Sauer Kraut	20c

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Real Estate Transfers.

The following warranty deeds were filed in the office of the recorder of deeds for the week ending January 2:

Gottlied Mader to Lowell B. Campbell, dated Dec. 29, 1914, covering E 2-3 lots 9 and 10, block 23, Barnard, for $500.

John C. Goforth to Sarah L. Hager, dated Dec. 19, 1914, covering lot 6 and W ½ lot 5, block 13, Barnard, for $800.

Mitt Wilson to George C. Weatherman, dated March 1, 1914, covering part W ½ SW SE sec 16, twp 62, rng 34, for $2,000.

George C. Weatherman to Mitt Wilson, dated March 1, 1914, covering SW NW sec 27 and SE NE sec 28, twp 62, rng 34, for $7,000.

Jacob N. Burch to Everett L. Whitney, dated Nov. 25, 1914, covering lot 8, block 57, Hopkins, for $1,600.

George O. Wallace to Robert F. Wallace, dated Dec. 30, 1914, covering lot 6, block 49, City company's addition to Maryville, for $1,300.

George B. Baker et al. to Lawrence Kempf et al., dated Dec. 29, 1914, covering NW SE and E ½ NE SE and part W ½ NE SE and N ¼ SE SE and part SE SE sec 27, twp 64, rng 35, for $9,200.

John Sturm et al. to Pearl M. Taylor, dated Nov. 21, 1914, covering lot 3, block 21, Thompson's sub-division southern extension to Maryville, for $1,100.

Warren Hull to George P. Hull, dated Dec. 21, 1914, covering N ½ NW sec 9, twp 66, rng 37, for $10,400.

Thomas F. Dewitt to Fay Whitney and wife, dated Sept. 22, 1914, covering part SE NE sec 11, twp 66, rng 35, for $2,800.

Edward Myers to William W. Andrews, dated May 12, 1914, covering lot 2, NW sec 31, twp 64, rng 35, for $13,632.

B. M. Frees et al. to George Ulmer, Jr., dated Dec. 14, 1914, covering lots 1, 2, 3, and 4, block 4, Jackson and Sherry's addition to Hopkins, for $3,000.

Alfred Gray to Ed M. Shreve, dated Oct. 14, 1914, covering part S ½ NW NE sec 8, twp 62, rng 35, for $480.

Emmett O. Gray to Ed M. Shreve, dated Sept. 29, 1914, covering N ½ NW NE sec 8, and S ½ SW SE sec 5, twp 65, rng 35, for $4,075.

William W. Andrews to Edward Myers, dated May 12, 1914, covering E ½ SW and SW SE sec 25, twp 64, rang 36, for $22,500.

Charles A. Deneen to Fred C. Wyman, dated March 30, 1914, covering east 107.34 acres NW sec 7, twp 64, rang 36, for $11,000.

Albert R. Swann to Charles A. Deneen, dated Dec. 18, 1914, covering North 115 acres SE sec 27, twp 64, rng 36, for $14,950.

Ed M. Shreve to Charles Hornbuckle, dated Dec. 30, 1914, covering S ½ NE sec 13, twp 65, rng 36, for $8,900.

George W. Craig to George B. Baker, dated Jan. 1, 1914, covering lots 5, 6, 7 and 8, block 13, Charles' first addition to Maryville, for $1,200.

Minnie M. Roach to Georgia A. Tulloch, dated Dec. 30, 1914, covering ½ interest in N ½ lot 3, block 25, Barnard, for $5.

Marco T. Loucks to Charles E. Owens, dated Dec. 30, 1914, covering lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, block 6, Skidmore, except W 40 feet, for $5,000.

Charles E. Owens to Marco T. Loucks, dated Dec. 1, 1914, covering lots 1, 3, 5 and 7, W. J. Skidmore's subdivision sec 9, twp 63, rng 37, for $17,000.

Home from Week's Trip.

Harvey L. Haines returned at noon today from a week's business and pleasure trip to Chicago, Kansas City and Sabetha and Eldorado, Kan.

Leaves for Fulton.

Miss Eva Ashford left Monday evening for Fulton, summoned there by the illness of her sister, Mrs. Richard Hamlin.

C. J. Mossey of Clyde, collector for Jefferson township, was in Maryville yesterday.

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where the sympathies are not with you.

Move Would Hurt Association.

"The headquarters are now located in an agricultural belt—one of the richest in the country—and right in the midst of the association members and where everyone is boosting for it. Take it to a city and the association will be swallowed up and forgotten, except by the members. It will be out of tune with its surroundings."

Others who spoke briefly were the Rev. Gilbert S. Cox, Maryville; Sam McKelvie, Fairfield, Neb., a member of the directorate; H. L. Faulkner, Jamesport, a member of the directorate; W. P. Hayzlett, Maitland, a member of the first directorate of the association; W. O. Garrett, Maryville, of the executive committee, and John O'Connell, Malcolm, Neb.

A vote was taken during the speaking, which showed that of the 100 at banquet only eleven were charter members of the association.

A vote of thanks to Maryville for its hospitality, and a separate vote of appreciation from Nebraska visitors were paid after the banquet.

These Attended Banquet.

Those who attended the banquet last night were:

Thomas J. Meisner, Sabetha, Kan.; W. J. Hather, Ord, Neb.; Thomas A. Shattuck, Hastings, Neb.; J. C. Meese, Ord, Neb.; S. A. Nelson, Malcom, Neb.; T. J. Dawe, Troy, Neb.; Ed R. Dorsey, Cameron; S. S. Spangler, Milan; J. D. Gates, Ravenwood, H. A. Crawford, Rea; J. O. James, Braddyville, Ia.; F. H. Schooler, Rock Port; N. I. Stapler, Burlington Junction; T. W. Cavett, Phillip, Neb.; John O'Connell, Malcom, Neb.; W. L. Wright, Jr., Rosendale; R. I. Young, St. Joseph; B. Bollig, Danbury; W. Bollig, Danbury; P. Hardesty, Council Bluffs, Ia.; W. P. Hayzlett, Maitland; S. McKelvie, Fairfield, Neb.; W. A. Forsyth, Greenwood; J. R. Miller, Collinsville, Okla.; C. H. Beethe, Elk Creek, Neb.; John G. Hays, Skidmore; C. C. Curtis, DeKalb; Alvin Windom, Nodaway, Ia.; W. R. Rice, Conway, Ia.; D. C. Lonergan, Florence, Neb.; H. J. Beall, Roca, Neb.; R. J. Peckham, Pawnee City, Neb.; Ray Davis, Lincoln, Neb.; J. O. Wallace, St. Joseph; M. Ellis, Guilford; W. H. Penniston, Braymer; L. R. McClarnon, Braddyville, Ia.; B. B. Staples, Burlington Junction; U. S. Byrne, Saxton Station; B. F. Gilmore, Hopkins; P. C. Miller, Conway, Ia.; O. McKelvie, Clay Center, Neb.; H. L. Faulkner, Jamesport; W. H. Charters, Butler; C. H. Walker, editor Poland-China Journal, Kansas City; E. E. Carver, Guilford; Dick Bailey, Elmo; W. B. Gex, Graham.

The following of Maryville attended: John Murrin, D. R. Eversole, Ralph Eversole, R. P. Hosmer, H. F. Leet, F. P. Reuillard, W. F. Phares, G. J. Moore, Guy R. Mutz, M. D. Kemp, Fred Jameson, F. L. Garrett, C. D. Bellows, Albert Berlin, Lawrence Ogden, P. O. Landon, Lou White, George M. Crowson, Fred Vandersloot, Clun W. Price, E. L. Andrews, M. Nusbaum, W. C. Pierce, T. L. Wilderman, C. D. Bellows, Jr., H. C. Todd, E. C. Curfman, E. H. Bainum, W. R. Tilson, F. G. Shoemaker, Berney Harris, U. S. Wright, O. L. Holmes, R. W. Pettit, H. C. McClary, Jos. Jackson, Jr., W. L. DeHart, J. F. Roelofson, C. C. Hellmers, C. A. Wadley, Albert Kuchs, W. R. Jackson, W. W. Jones, Fred J. Yeomans, W. H. Gilbert, J. D. Frank, Dr. L. E. Dean, Ed J. Schumacher, J. P. Price, E. E. Rhoades, A. B. Wells, Harley H. Seamore, Harry H. Wells, O. F. Remus, Charles Buhler, the Rev. G. S. Cox, George Robb Ellison, Ira K. Alderman, J. H. Harvey, F. P. Robinson, J. F. Hull.

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CRAIG, "DRY" SENATE LEADER

Nodaway State Delegate to Direct Prohibition Campaign in Legislature Reported.

Senator Anderson Craig, Nodaway county's delegate to the "upper" branch of the state legislature, will again be the leading factor in the "dry" movements. He will be assisted by Senator E. L. Moore of Barton county, it is expected. It is not definitely known yet who will champion the prohibition cause in the house.

The "drys" claim a large majority this winter in the house and a safe majority in the senate.

The legislature convenes tomorrow.

The "drys" will present a program to the legislature that, if passed in prohibition throughout Missouri outside the three large cities—St. Louis, Kansas City and St. Joseph.

A bill is being prepared and will not be introduced which will provide as follows:

"It shall be unlawful to license any saloon or dramshop in any city that does not have sixty thousand inhabitants or a metropolitan police force."

The Rev. E. F. Jones, legislative agent of the Anti-Saloon League, said the "drys" had definitely decided to present several measures. They are:

A district local option bill to enable residence districts in cities to vote out saloons.

A bill carrying the Webb-Kenyon Act, relating to the shipment of liquor into "dry" territory, into effect through out the state.

Requiring saloons to close at 10 o'clock.

Prohibiting saloons within five miles of any school or university.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

Son at McGlothlan Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom McGlothlan, living west of Barnard, announce the birth of their son, to whom they have given the name Thomas Dale.

"I'm Going To Use My Business —Not Put It In Cold Storage"

THIS was the remark of a keen thinking business man, who is on the move regardless of the general business tendency, weather or trade.

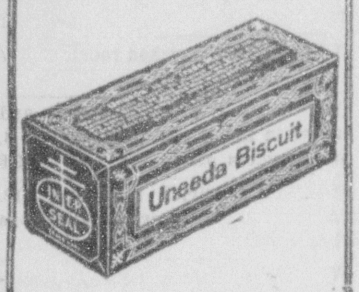
This should be the thought of every merchant or manufacturer who intends to stay in the race. The man who backs out for a time, who waits for a new movement, is the one who is most apt to lose out entirely. The one who increases his energy in developing new trade in slow times is the very one who looms up big when the harvest comes.

It is easier by far to keep in the race than to slow down and let another man pass you. If you do not keep yourself and your concern before the public, who do you think will?

Put your business into cold storage for a time and you have lost efficiency for that time. People do not remember you half so well by your past achievements as by your present deeds. It is up to you to stay in the race not only to retain past patronage, but to be ready to serve the patronage of tomorrow.

Uneeda Biscuit

Nourishment—fine flavor—purity—crispness—wholesomeness. All for 5 cents, in the moisture-proofpackage.



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Always look for that Name

File Albert A. Hackett Will.

The will of Albert A. Hackett, who died at his home at Burlington Junction, December 25, was filed today in probate court. Henry E. Nicholas was appointed administrator.

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Cloth of Gold.

When I fold my hands at the close of day,
And examine the fabric I've woven,
I find there a background of heavy dull gray,
The duties and care interwoven.

But here and there through the threads of gray,
I will find a bright color is gleaming;
Because of a roesbud, a kind word or look,
Then all of my fabric is beaming.

So this square of each day I will lay away,
To shield me at least from the cold,
When my weaving's done, may life's setting sun
Show my garment as fabric of gold.

The above song poem was written by Miss Ruby Lorance of this city. The score is by J. E. Andino and the song has been published by the John T. Hall Music company of New York City. The melody is in perfect harmony with the motif of the words. Many copies of the song have been sold since it was placed on sale here. Miss Lorance is the author of numerous poems and sketches.

Missionary Society.

The Women's Missionary society of the First Baptist church will meet at 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon with Mrs. J. M. Ringgold, 617 North Vine street.

All-Day Party.

Mr. and Mrs. George Patrick of this city, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Everhart, Miss Lola Ingram, Ray, Emery, Willie, Beatrice and Leodas Everhart were the guests of an all-day house party given Sunday by Mrs. J. M. Everhart of Barnard.

Anthonys at Home.

Mrs. F. R. Anthony returned yesterday from a stay of several months in Denver, Col., which has been of health benefit to her. Dr. and Mrs. Anthony will now be at home to their friends in the new home on Park avenue.

Gives Kensington Tea.

Mrs. Edward Wolfert of North Main street, entertained with a Kensington tea yesterday afternoon, giving the third of a series of affairs with which she is entertaining during the mid-winter. Twenty eight guests enjoyed the hospitality of Mrs. Wolfert.

Mr. and Mrs. Gex Hosts.

Mr. and Mrs. Florian Gex, living southwest of the city, entertained with a dinner party Sunday, at which their guests were Mr. and Mrs. P. K. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Ellsworth, Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Dilts, Henry and Miss Martha Ellsworth and Paul Dilts.

League to Give Reception.

The Epworth League of the First Methodist church will give a reception Friday evening for the Normal students, who have come to the city for the new year term. The affair will be held in the League rooms.

Home From Honeymoon Trip.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Stewart Farrar returned from a short honeymoon trip spent at Lawrence, Kan., and Kansas City, yesterday. They will be at home after January 26, at 621 North Buchanan street. Mrs. Farrar was formerly Miss Sadie Marie Woods and her marriage to Mr. Farrar took place December 30, last.

Dines Employees.

D. E. Hotchkin, manager of the Graham-Latimer store, and Mrs. Hotchkin, entertained the employes of the store at a six o'clock dinner Monday night at their home on South Buchanan street. Plates were laid for Miss Juno Jones, Miss Emma Ballinger, Miss Marie Grundy, Miss Edna Wilson, Harold Bridgeman, Elmer Allen and the hosts and family.

Coasting Party.

A jolly coasting party was given Monday night by the J. W. G. A. B. club on the Guthrie hill, northwest of the city. Those who enjoyed the fun were Misses Mary and Sarah Taylor, Miss Grace Fisher, Misses Anna and Mary Halasey, Miss Esther Neidel, Verne Manley, Lewis Neidel, Ernest Willhoyte, Omer and Harry Fisher and Glen Guthrie.

To Compliment Kansas Visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Oren Silvers of Meade, Kan., who are visiting relatives at Barnard, were the honored guests of a party given Saturday night by Mrs. J. M. Everhart of Barnard. Mrs. George Patrick of this city assisted Mrs. Everhart in entertaining her guests, who were Mr. and Mrs. Silvers, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Stults and Mr. and Mrs. George Patrick of Maryville, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hall, Miss Cleo Hall, Miss Lura Leiffy, Miss Leola Ingram, Misses Beatrice and Leodas Everhart, Mrs. Al Leiffy,, Orville and Ray Everhart, Mr. Emery, Jesse and William Everhart and Cecil Ray Leiffy.

Ellsworths Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ellsworth, who live southwest of the city entertained a few friends last Friday evening in compliment to their daughter, Miss Martha, who had been spending the holiday vacation at home. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Henry West fall, Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Dilts, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cole, Harry Cole, Paul Dilts and Henry Ellsworth.

Mr. and Mrs. Jensen Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Jensen, living in the Mt. Vernon neighborhood, entertained a party of friends for the day Sunday at their home. Their guests were Misses Edna Garrett, Lora McDowell, Millie Ballenger, Verna Key, Josephine Jensen, Nettie and Violet Jensen, Messrs. Cleo Mitchell, Beryl Mitchell, Perry Wiseman, Sorenus Jensen, Luther Jensen and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mitchell.

Gives Duck Roast.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Dilts, living twelve miles southwest of the city, entertained a party of relatives and friends at a duck roast Saturday noon. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. P. K. Brown, Mrs. Riggle, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Popham, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Ellsworth, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Riggle, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Saxton, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cole, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Westfall, Miss Birdie Popham, Miss Martha Ellsworth, Miss Chloe Riggle, Misses Emyline and Neola Saxton, Nellie and Frank Popham, Fred Rourer, Henry Ellsworth, Earl and Roy Riggle, Paul Dilts and Harry Cole.

Study Fiction Characters.

The female portraits and characters of early American fiction formed the subject of the afternoon's study yesterday for the M. I. Circle in a meeting held at the home of Mrs. Omar Catterson. The afternoon program opened with devotions by Mrs. B. C. Halley. A very interesting paper, in which she took up some of the favorite characters of Longfellow and Hawthorne, was given by Mrs. C. B. Roberts. The round table discussion was conducted by Mrs. J. W. Ray and Mrs. John Lorance acted as critic. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. W. B. Price.

Entertaining Meeting.

One of the most entertaining afternoons of the winter was enjoyed Monday by the Music department of the Twentieth Century club. The meeting was held at the recital hall of the Conservatory. Mrs. T. L. Wilderman, chairman, presided, and after the usual routine of business the program was given in charge of Prof. P. O. Landon. Pursuant with the topic selected for December and January, Mr. Landon gave the romance and history of the opera "Carmen," and spoke in full of the life and works of the composer, Bizet. Mr. Landon then gave on the victrola the most popular selections from "Carmen." They were "I Speak of the Dread that Assails Me," Sung by Bernice Pasquali; the Habanera song, by Lina Cavalieri, and the Toreador song, by Baklanoff. Mrs. W. H. Crawford acted as critic, and the meeting adjourned to meet at the home of Miss Brownie Toel on February 1.

Patterson's Entertain.

One of the pleasant affairs of the New Year's eve was a watch party given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Patterson, northwest of the city. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Chester Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. Ray McDowell, Misses Ray McGinness, Miss Lora McDowell, Edith Callahan, Josephine Jensen, Pearl McGinness, Edna Garrett, Nettie Jensen, Millie Ballinger, Violet Jensen, Hazel McCombs, Maud McCombs and Mabelle Patterson, Messrs. Perry Wiseman, Cleo Mitchell, Willie Garrett, Beryl Mitchell, Orb Griffey, Sorenus Jensen, George Patterson, Harold Thompson, Don Thompson, Floyd Logan, Howard Patterson, Robert Patterson and Frank McComb.

Newly Weds "At Home."

Mr. and Mrs. John Lieber Holmes, whose marriage took place December 31, at Maitland, will be at home after January 15, at 402 West Third street. Mr. and Mrs. Holmes are spending their honeymoon in Chicago and Kansas City. The following account of the wedding, taken from the St. Joseph News-Press, will be of interest:

"At high noon, Thursday Miss Nancy Lee Maxwell and John Lieber Holmes, of Maryville, were married at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. N. A. Maxwell of Maitland, Rev. Bemis of the Christian church, reading the marriage service. Only near relatives were present. The bride wore a wedding gown of white satin with an overdress of embroidered chiffon and carried bride's roses. Before the ceremony, Mrs. Lucian Maxwell, of St. Joseph, sang "When Song is Sweet" and Mrs. John Poynter, a sister of the bride, played the wedding march from Lohengrin. In the dining room a three course luncheon was served. The table was centered with a large wedding cake. In the afternoon Mr. Holmes and his bride left for a two weeks' honeymoon trip to Chicago. The bride's traveling costume was of dark blue velvet with hat and gloves to match."

Japanese Tea.

The general meeting of the Twentieth Century club was held at the home of Mrs. S. G. Gillam yesterday afternoon. The program was in charge of the Tourist department and the art of Japan formed the subject of the afternoon. The guests were met at the door by little Miss Esther Roseberry, gowned in Japanese costume and directed into the gaily decorated house. Reception hall, living room, and library were hung with Japanese lanterns and umbrellas, while the dining room was a bower of cherry blossoms. Cherry blossoms hung from the chandelier and were massed on the sideboards and walls while a crystal basket, filled with the blossoms, centered the table. Under the able leadership of Mrs. Chas. Jackson, an interesting program was given. Mrs. E. R. Utter told of ivory carving and wood carving. Mrs. Arthur Allen Brewer described the porcelains and Miss May Orear took the Cloisonne work, Mrs. Charles Bellows, the lacquer, and Mrs. G. H. Colbert, the embroidery. Two charming Japanese songs were given by Mrs. Charles Moore. At the conclusion of the program, the women were invited to the dining room where tea was served by Mrs. Bruce Montgomery, Mrs. W. R. Jackson, Mrs. Rolla Alexander and Mrs. R. W. Pettit, all of whom were dressed in Japanese costumes. Perhaps the most interesting feature was the art exhibit displayed in the library. Many beautiful works of Japanese art and interesting curios had been collected by Mrs. Charles Jackson and Mrs. Ed. G. Orear for this display.

Brazil Fires Port Officials.

Rio Janeiro, Jan. 6.—The German steamer Holger having secretly left the harbor of Pernambuco, presumably with supplies for the German warships still at large in South American waters, the federal government has removed from office the authorities who should have guarded against such a breach of neutrality. The responsible officials also have been ordered before a board of inquiry.

Lajoie Is Bought by Connie Mack.

Cleveland, Jan. 6.—Napoleon Lajoie, for thirteen years second baseman and former manager of the Cleveland American league club, was released by President Somers to the Philadelphia Americans.

Mrs. Crane Ill.

Mrs. H. T. Crane has been very ill since Sunday and does not improve.

Condensed Statement of

The First National Bank

AND THE

Gillam-Jackson Loan & Trust Co.

At the close of business December 31, 1915

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	$625,028.27
United States Bonds	100,000.00
Redemption Fund	5,000.00
Banking House Furniture and Fixtures	34,116.39
Cash and Sight Exchange	154,150.34
Federal Reserve Bank Stock	1,200.00
Title Plant	11,636.82
Other Assets	1,636.44
Overdrafts	7,003.67
Total	**$939,771.93**

LIABILITIES

Capital and Surplus	$181,200.00
Undivided Profits	7,356.11
Circulation	100,000.00
Deposits	648,145.82
Rediscounts with Federal Bank	3,070.00
Total	**$939,771.93**

COMPARATIVE

Deposits, December 31, 1914	**$648,144.82**
Deposits, December 31, 1913	**$613,338.52**
Increase for one year	**$ 34,806.30**

The above Statements are correct,

JOS. JACKSON, JR., Cashier and Secretary

ALLEGED RUSTLERS TAKEN

Two More Arrests Are Made In Gregory County, South Dakota.

Sioux Falls, S. D., Jan. 6.—The Gregory county authorities, in pursuance of a warfare recently inaugurated against cattle "rustlers," have arrested two more men on the charge of being implicated in the theft of cattle from homesteaders and ranchers. This makes five men who have been arrested within a few days on this charge.

The latest to be arrested are Cecil Small and Cyrus Delaney, homesteaders, near Lucas. The arrest of these two men, following the arrest of three other alleged rustlers, indicates that the effort to round up the band or bands of rustlers that have been operating in Gregory and adjoining counties for some weeks is meeting with good success. It has become known that the authorities have several other persons under suspicion, and other arrests are expected.

WILL COUNT PROXY VOTE.

Poland-China Breeders Select Committee on Credentials This Morning.

The appointment of a committee on credentials was virtually the entire action at the initial meeting of the stockholders of the Standard Poland-China Record association at the court house this morning. After this appointment and a short discussion, the shareholders adjourned until 1:30 o'clock this afternoon.

The credentials committee consists of W. C. Pierce., Maryville; W. J. Hather, Ord, Neb., and J. O. James, Braddyville, Ia. It is a special committee, the duties of which are merely to count the proxy votes this afternoon on the resolution to establish a branch office of the association at Kansas City. The proxy votes are those cast by members of the association who are not present.

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Mrs. Rosa Bennett Escapes Operation After Taking Wonderful Stomach Remedy.

Mrs. Rosa B. Bennett of 2606B Olive street, St. Louis, Mo., was ill with stomach troubles for nearly fifteen years. She had a great deal of medical attention and took many treatments. She was advised to undergo an operation by one specialist.

Then she took Mayr's Wonderful Stomach Remedy and found swift relief. She wrote:

"I was a sufferer for about fifteen years and I tried everything. I doctored with different doctors, and each one would give my trouble a different name. One said that I would never be any better until I was operated on, and another one said I had ulcers of the stomach. I could get no relief.

"I took Mayr's Wonderful Stomach Remedy.

"Now I can't praise your medicine enough."

Mrs. Bennett has had just the same experience with Mayr's Wonderful Stomach Remedy that thousands of others have had.

Mayr's Wonderful Stomach Remedy clears the digestive tract of mucoid accretion and removes poisonous matter. It brings quick relief to sufferers from derangements of the stomach, liver and intestinal tract. Many declare it has saved them from dangerous operations; many are sure it has saved their lives.

We want all people who have chronic stomach trouble or constipation, no matter of how long standing, to try one dose of Mayr's Wonderful Stomach Remedy. One dose will convince you. This is the medicine so many of our people have been taking with surprising results. The most thorough system [illegible] ever sold. Mayr's Wonderful Stomach Remedy is now sold here [illegible] and druggists everywhere.

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HOPKINS NEWS.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Dalby and family returned last week from Creston, Ia., where they attended a reunion of the Dalby family.

Miss Jennie McCormick left Saturday for Indiana to resume teaching.

Dr. Lester West of Chicago returned to his home Saturday after a holiday visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. C. West.

Miss Anna Fisher visited friends in St. Joseph for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Abernathy were guests of Miss Della Nash Sunday.

Miss Mary Dragoo has returned from a visit with her sister at Rosendale.

Misses Lottie Lowden and Cora Fitch were Maryville visitors Monday.

Miss Lou Hughes, who is attending the National Kindergarten college of Chicago, returned to her work Saturday after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Hughes. Miss Hughes will graduate in June.

Fred Wooldridge left Monday for Phoenix, Ariz., where he will remain until April.

Mrs. Fred Sheley and children returned to their home in St. Joseph Saturday. They were called by the death of Mrs. Sheley's mother, Mrs. John Johnson.

Robert Wolfers and Edwin Robb were the guests of a dinner party given Wednesday by Mr. and Mrs. Ed Crum of Bedford, Ia.

J. F. Robb and daughter, Mrs. O. A. Edmonds and children will leave this week for Arizona to spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Mel Sheley entertained a number of friends at dinner New Year's in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Sheley.

Mrs. McGurk has returned from a visit with her daughter at Havelock, Neb.

Charles Evans fell from a roof Monday and received injuries from which he is suffering severely.

The freshman class of the high school will be entertained Friday night at the Nichols home, south of the city.

A large crowd attended the watch party at the Methodist church Thursday evening.

The following students returned to their schools last week: Emmett Miller, Theodore Long Edwin Robb, Frank and Lois Sargent to the Missouri state university; Pauline Robb to Fayette, Edna Robb to Jacksonville, Ill.; Robert Wolfers to Madison, Wis.; Myrl Aiken to Parkville, and Claud Grote to Des Moines, Ia.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cox and Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Jones were the guests of J. W. Lindsay at Sweetwater ranch Sunday.

Floyd Sneley and Miss Avis Foreman were married New Year's day at the bride's home, near Bedford, Ia. They will be at home on a farm north of Hopkins.

Twenty-eight couples attended the New Year's eve dance in Wolfers hall. Music was furnished by a Bedford, Ia., orchestra. At 12 o'clock a box supper was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cox gave a dance in Wolfers hall Saturday evening, entertaining thirty guests.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—17,000. Market 15c lower. Estimate tomorrow, 7,000.

Hogs—5,000. Market strong; top, $7.32. Estimate tomorrow, 38,000.

Sheep—25,000. Market weak.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—7,000. Market slow.

Hogs—14,000. Market strong; top, $7.25.

Sheep—8,000. Market weak.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—2,000. Market slow.

Hogs—10,000. Market strong; top, $7.20.

Sheep—500. Market weak.

Revival Begins Tonight.

The evangelistic meetings at the Christian church at Burlington Junction, where were to have begun Monday night, will not begin until tonight. Charles A. Lockhart, considered one of the foremost educators of Missouri, will conduct the special services. The Rev. Mr. Love, pastor, will assist.

To Take Special Instruction.

Ray Shipps and Henry Seipel, who live south of the city, left yesterday afternoon for Kansas City where they will attend the Indiana school of Gas Tractioneering. The young man will attend a two weeks' special term of instruction.

Returns From Vacation.

Miss Beulah Hoagland, operator for the Mutual telephone exchange at Skidmore, has returned from a week's vacation spent at Mound City and Maitland.

Goes to Texas.

Mrs. M. E. McCrary left yesterday for Gainesville, Texas, on a short business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Breedlove spent Sunday at Bedison, the guests of Mrs. Breedlove's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Kidd.

(First Insertion Dec. 10, last Jan. 13.)

To whom it may concern: Notice is hereby given that I, Fred P. Robinson, assignee of the estate of William B. Finn, deceased, being satisfied that it is no longer advantageous to the creditors of said assignor to keep the assignment open, will, on the 18th day of January, 1915, file my application with the clerk of the circuit court of Nodaway county, Missouri, asking and praying for my full discharge from the trust as such assignee.

Witness my hand this 10th day of December, 1914.

FRED P. ROBINSON.

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RUSSIANS WIN BIG VICTORY

Muscovite Forces Crush Invading Turkish Hordes.

FIGHT WITH GREAT BRAVERY.

Two of Three Columns of Troops Entering Caucasus Meet With Overwhelming Disaster at Sari Kamysh. Austrians Fleeing Through Snow.

WAR BULLETINS

In the eastern theater of the war, both Petrograd and Berlin assert that conditions remain virtually unchanged, although the operations are proceeding without cessation.

In the west the most severe fighting is taking place on the eastern end of the line, where the French declare they have made gains in the occupation of strategic positions in the vicinity of Rouvrois and St. Mihiel.

London, Jan. 6.—Two of the three Turkish columns which last week invaded the Russian Caucasus have met with disaster and the troops not killed or captured are in disorderly retreat, pursued by the Russians. The column which took Ardahan two days ago has been driven out of that town, according to the Petrograd official dispatches, and is almost surrounded by the Russians, who hold the main roads.

Another column, which crossed the frontier near Sari Kamysh, on the road to Kars, has suffered an even worse defeat, one of the two army corps which composed it being captured in its entirety.

The following report received from the Russian headquarters in the Caucasus was made public:

"Our troops won a complete victory over the Turks at Sari Kamysh. We have beaten two Turkish army corps and made the entire Ninth Turkish army corps, including its commander and three division commanders, prisoners. Small bodies of Turkish troops which succeeded in escaping were rigorously pursued and destroyed. We continue pursuit of the other parts of the Turkish forces, which are in full retreat."

Austrians Fleeing Through Snow.

The Russians report a victory over the Austrians in the Uzsok pass of the Carpathians. Emperor Francis Joseph's army in this region is declared to be in full retreat in a mountain pass deep in snow, while a violent snowstorm rages and the Russian cavalry is attacking on the flank and rear.

While forcing back the Turks and Austrians, the Russian troops are holding the line of the Mazurian lakes in East Prussia; are fighting strenuously to withstand the German offensive in north Poland; are advancing towards Cracow and have crossed Bukowina, which is now virtually in their possession.

Except at the two extreme wings, on the Belgian coast and in upper Alsace, where the allies have gained some ground, the fighting on the western front has been done by sappers, miners and artillery. From the coast to the Swiss border the troops either have been engaged in shelling the opposite trenches or trying to sap and mine them. Only at isolated points has the infantry been given its opportunity. A few hundred yards have been gained by the allies among the dunes of Flanders, despite the unfavorable weather.

RACE UP MOUNTAIN SIDE

French Win Three-Mile Sprint For Possession of Steinbach.

Thann, Alsace, Jan. 6.—A race of three miles up the steep slope at Engelburg, through thickets and up rocky steps, between a battalion of French light infantry with mountain guns and a German battery determined the result of the stubborn fight for the Alsatian town of Steinbach.

The French surprised a movement of the German battery ascending toward the summit of the mountain by road, and taking a short cut, accomplished what seemed to be the impossible.

The French battalion arrived five minutes before the Germans appeared in an open space and had just time to put into position their mountain guns. Five minutes more and all was over. Too late the Germans attempted to retire and the batttery was annihilated.

Canal Fort Guns Too Few.

Washington, Jan. 6.—Governor Goethals of the Panama canal zone told the house appropriations subcommittee on fortifications that while guns and ammunition at the canal were ample now, it was necessary to have provision for duplications.

Kansas Sends Cargo of Food.

New York, Jan. 6.—The steamship Hannah sailed for Rotterdam with a $500,000 cargo of food and clothing, contributed by the people of Kansas for the relief of destitute Belgians.

Mme. Gerville-Reache Is Dead.

New York, Jan. 6.—Mme. Gerville-Reache, former contralto at the Manhattan Opera house, died at Roosevelt hospital. For a week she had been seriously ill of blood poisoning.

Anton Von Werner, Artist, Dead.

Berlin, Jan. 6.—The death of Anton von Werner, the artist, is announced.

ALBERT S. BURLESON.

Postmaster General May Enter Race For United States Senate.

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TO TRADE CAPTIVES UNABLE TO FIGHT

Agreement Is Reached Between England and Germany.

London, Jan. 6.—The official information bureau announced that an agreement had been reached between England and Germany providing for the exchange of prisoners of war who were incapacitated for further service. The announcement is as follows:

"On Dec. 10 the British government proposed to the German government through the United States that arrangements be made for the exchange of British and German officers and men, prisoners of war, who were physically incapacitated for further military service. The acceptance of this offer by the German government was conveyed to the British government on the 31st. Arrangements are being made to give effect to it."

SAILS PAST GERMAN MINES

Yankee Skipper Lands Cargo of Cotton at Bremen.

Bremen, Jan. 6.—Owing to the daring of an American skipper the steamer Elmonte, which sailed from Galveston, Tex., arrived at Bremen. The Elmonte brought more than 6,000 bales of cotton, the first to reach this port during the war. It was the first American merchantman to visit Bremen in forty years.

Captain Edward T. Pinchin of the Elmonte, after the voyage across the Atlantic, took on a British pilot at Deal, but fearing that the pilot would be interned if he entered German waters, the captain dropped him at the Hook of Holland. At the Hook, Dutch pilots refused to assist the American skipper, saying that it was impossible on account of mines to make the trip.

Captain Pinchin was determined to go on, saying that he would take his ship to its destination or know the reason why. Accordingly, he proceeded without a pilot, picking his own course without mine charts or other aid. He made his way to Bremen, greatly to the amazement of the Germans.

Captain Pinchin says the trip is comparatively easy provided a skipper uses common sense. The Elmonte is to return to America shortly with 1,500 tons of mixed cargo.

Swedish Ship Sunk; Twenty Lost.

London, Jan. 6.—According to advices received here from Stockholm, the Swedish steamer Carma has been lost in the North sea, with its crew of twenty men. It is presumed that the Carma struck a mine.

Autos Cost Many Lives.

New York, Jan. 6.—Automobiles killed 290 persons in this city last year, as compared with 302 in 1913. In the state, outside this city, the number in 1914 was 310, as against 149 in 1913.

Carranza's Army Retakes Puebla.

Vera Cruz, Mexico, Jan. 6.—General Obregon reported to Carranza headquarters that he had captured the city of Puebla, capital of the state of that name. All Vera Cruz is celebrating.

ITALY HAS MILLION MEN UNDER ARMS

Rome, Jan. 6.—The death on the French battlefield of Lieutenant Bruno Garibaldi has caused a revival of public sentiment throughout Italy in favor of war, this feeling being augmented by the belief that the Italian military preparations now have been perfected. About 1,000,000 men will be under arms within the present month and another 1,000,000 men are being formed into a reserve ready to be called out at a moment's notice.

A CHILD'S LAXATIVE IS "SYRUP OF FIGS"

They Love to Take It and It Doesn't Harm the Tender Little Stomach, Liver and Bowels.

When your child suffers from a cold don't wait; give the little stomach, liver and bowels a gentle, thorough cleansing at once. When cross, peevish, listless, pale, doesn't sleep, eat or act naturally; if breath is bad, stomach sour, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the clogged-up, constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food will gently move out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again.

If your child coughs, snuffles and has caught cold or is feverish or has a sore throat give a good dose of "California Syrup of Figs," to evacuate the bowels, no difference what other treatment is given.

Sick children needn't be coaxed to take this harmless "fruit laxative." Millions of mothers keep it handy because they know its action on the stomach, liver and bowels is prompt and sure. They also know a little given today saves a sick child tomorrow.

Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which contains directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. Get the genuine, made by "California Fig Syrup Company."

LETTER LIST.

Following is a list of the letters remaining unclaimed in the Maryville postoffice for the week ending Wednesday, January 6.

Men.

Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Robt.
Waden, L. M. (foreign).

Women.

Aliene, Elva (official).
Carmean, Mrs. Wm.
Cozad, Miss Nellie.
Gilbert, Miss Mary.
Mills, Miss Wilma.
Sabens, Miss Lillie.
Stephens, Miss Gladys.

Miscellaneous.

Messrs. Glass & Clark.

Persons calling for the above named letters will please say "advertised."

JAMES TODD, Postmaster.

Chillicothe Gives to Belgians.

The citizens of Chillicothe and Livingston county have made a donation of 455 sacks of flour to the destitute in the war stricken nations across the waters. Last week J. T. Milbank, who was in charge of the work shipped the 455 sacks of flour to Philadelphia from which place the flour will go by steamer.

Returns to Bolckow.

Mrs. J. H. Goforth and daughter, Bertha, who have been spending several days visiting Mrs. Goforth's son, W. E. Goforth, and family, have returned to their home at Bolckow.

MULES—We have a few span of heavy bone, well matched 3-year-old mules to sell. Can give time on purchase price if desired. G. W. Lucas. 6-tf

YOU can go to the California Exposition

You don't have to travel on an extravagant "Limited" train in order to visit the California Expositions. Glitter and rosewood, plush and excessive speed, have little to do with real comfort and satisfaction. Certainly if economy is attractive, you can just as well save considerable on your traveling expenses and have money in your pocket to do things with after your arrival.

Join a Burlington Route "Personally Conducted" party. Through Pullman Tourist Sleeping cars, wonderful scenery, inexpensive, and a special guide and conductor all the way.

Save your money! See everything! Travel in safety and comfort and in good company. Get up a party—let me help. Let me send you free pictures, maps and a descriptive folder. Don't delay, but find out about this NOW.

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Classified ads running three days or more one-half cent per word for each insertion; minimum rate 25c for three days. Interrupted insertions 1 cent a word for each insertion.

For Rent.

FOR RENT—Furnished room, three blocks from square. 110 South Fillmore. 10-tf

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms at 107 North Buchanan street.

FOR RENT OR SALE—House and four lots in Lyndhurst addition. W. B. Scott, Farmers phone 814. 4-6

FOR RENT—Brick residence, $12. E. A. Appleby, at Vernon Dickson's barber shop. 5-tf

FOR RENT—7-room house in northwest part town. Call at Glover & Alexander. 5-7

FOR RENT—5-room flat, electric lights and bath, over Ashford millinery store. For particulars call Hanamo 38. 26-tf

For Sale.

FOR SALE—Improved 5-acre tract near Maryville. S. H. Kemp, 4-9

FOR SALE—Kindling wood. Route 3; phone 4X. Frank Martin. 5-2

WOOD FOR SALE—All dry ash, hickory and oak, $3.00 and $4.00 for full guaranteed cord. Other wood $1.00 load. Will deliver. Native lumber for sale. Saunders Bros., Hanamo phone 3698. 14-tf

FOR SALE—Car of Swift's digester tankage. At Burlington tracks. Prices right. See us before you buy. Childress & Co. 2-tf

FOR SALE—A roll top desk and chair. Inquire at Wilderman garage. 5-tf

FOR SALE—White Orpington cockerels, English strain. W. A. Rhodes, phone Ravenwood. 12-10

FOR SALE—Buff Rock roosters. Mrs. R. H. Duncan, Farmers phone 32-13. 4-6

FOR SALE—A few extra fine Barred Plymouth Rock cockerels, $1 each. Mrs. A. J. McKillip, phone 39-15. 4-6

FOR SALE—Fresh cow and calf. Also a few R. C. W. Leghorn cockerels. John Gross, Hanamo phone 4496. 4-9

FOR SALE—Poland-China boars, immuned, 2 years old. C. T. Barrow, route 1, Maryville. Farmers phone 36-12. 4-6

FOR SALE—Non-freezable hog waterer. Also hog oilers. Write for free circular. Wm. Menfee, Atlantic, Iowa. 6-8

FOR SALE—Second hand Round Oak stove at Democrat-Forum office. tf.

Miscellaneous.

NOTICE—All persons indebted to Dr. A. B. Allen are requested to call and settle. 4-9.

FOUND—Lady's black kid glove, new. Call Democrat-Forum office. 4-6

WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. Send cash price and description. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn.

CAR of guaranteed 2 yellow corn on Wabash track, 72c bushel. Yowell & Son. 4-6

SANITARY ENGINEERING requires experienced mechanics and good materials. Our appliances and "knowing how" insures satisfaction. Standard Plumbing Co.

WANTED—A girl or middle aged woman for general housework. Mrs. S. L. Beech, phone 412. 4-6

Lost.

LOST—Near Pickering, small gold Waltham watch, hunting case, with initials engraved in back of case; leather fob with Indian arrow head pendant. Reward to finder. Howard Null, Pickering. 6-8

Bred Sow Sale

We will sell at public auction at Maryville, Missouri, on

Friday, Jan. 22, 1915

beginning at 12:30 p.m.

70—HAMPSHIRE SOWS—70

All bred for early farrow. These hogs are all registered. Will also sell at auction 12 head of weanling mule colts and one brood mare, heavy in foal by Jack. These will be sold beginning at 11 a. m.

We also have seven Jacks and four Jennets to be sold at private sale. All registered. Ages from 9 years to weanling colts.

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